MEMORANDUM

To: Board of Regents

From: Board Office

Subject: Approval of Tuition and Fees

Date: November 4, 2002

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Recommended Actions:

A. Approve the following proposals for the 2003-04 academic year tuition and fees, effective with the summer session 2003:

TUITION

- 1. A base tuition increase of:
 - a. \$650 for all resident classifications of students:
 - b. \$1,300 for all nonresident classifications of students;
 - A new minimum tuition set-aside for financial aid of 15% of gross tuition revenues with direction to the universities to focus on need-based aid; and
 - d. Differential professional tuition rates at the University of lowa.

MANDATORY FEES

- 2. In addition to the proposed base tuition increase, changes to mandatory fees as outlined in Attachment B include:
 - A two-year phase out of all designated tuition allocations into mandatory fees; and
 - b. Proposals for new and increased mandatory fees.

SURCHARGES

In addition to the proposed base tuition increases, the surcharges proposed by the University of Iowa included in Attachment C.

TUITION-RELATED MISCELLANEOUS FEES

4. Tuition-related miscellaneous fees and charges, included in Attachment D.

PART-TIME TUITION AND FEES

5. Per semester credit hour tuition rates and fees, included in Attachment E.

TUITION POLICY

B. Consider studies of the Board's tuition policy and the related statutory timing provisions during the upcoming discussion of the Board's five-year strategic plan.

LEGISLATIVE

C. Encourage legislators to support efforts to increase state and federal commitments to both public universities and state and federal student financial aid programs. This will assist current students with their education, and can help moderate future tuition requests.

Executive Summary:

CHANGES FROM OCTOBER

Changes from October include the addition of part-time tuition and fee information. The proposed 2003-04 part-time tuition rates for resident and nonresident undergraduate and graduate courses at the three universities are presented in Table 2 of Attachment E and are consistent with the recommended tuition rates.

The mandatory fees for part-time students are assessed differently among the universities.

PROPOSED TUITION & MANDATORY FEES

The recommended increases for undergraduate base tuition plus mandatory fees for 2003-04 are as follows:

TUITION PROPOSAL Resident Undergraduate Rates

				Proposed	
	Proposed		2002-03	2003-04	
2002-03	2003-04		Total	Total	
Base	Base	Dollar	Tuition	Tuition	Dollar
Tuition	Tuition	Increase	& Fees*	& Fees*	Increase
\$3,692	\$4,342	\$650	\$4,191.00	\$4,993	\$802.00
3,692	4,342	650	4,110.00	5,028	918.00
3,692	4,342	650	4,117.50	4,916	798.50

SUI ISU UNI

TUITION PROPOSAL Nonresident Undergraduate Rates

				Proposed	
	Proposed		2002-03	2003-04	
2002-03	2003-04		Total	Total	
Base	Base	Dollar	Tuition	Tuition	Dollar
Tuition	Tuition	Increase	& Fees*	& Fees*	Increase
\$13,334	\$14,634	\$1,300	\$13,833.00	\$15,285	\$1,452.00
12,384	13,684	1,300	12,802.00	14,370	1,568.00
10,000	11,300	1,300	10,425.50	11,874	1,448.50

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*Dollar costs and increases for students majoring in Business Administration, Engineering, and Pharmacy at SUI and for students majoring in Engineering, Computer Science & Management Information Systems at ISU are slightly higher, as previously approved by the Board.

Estimated Cost of Attendance

Based on the above tuition proposal and university projected increases for room, board, and other costs, the following table estimates the total cost of attendance for a resident undergraduate student.

TUITION PROPOSAL 2003-04 Academic Year Estimated Cost of Attendance Resident Undergraduate

SUI ISU UNI Average

	resident offici graduate					
	Tuition	Room &	Other	Estimated	Incr. from	
	& Fees*	Board**	Costs**	Totals**	2002-03	
	\$4,993	\$5,622	\$3,670	\$14,285	\$1,209	
	5,028	5,400	3,685	14,113	1,394	
	4,916	4,964	3,668	13,548	1,110	
•	4,979	5,329	3,674	13,982	1,238	

^{*} Proposed.

RATIONALE FOR BASE TUITION INCREASE

Prior to finalizing the proposed recommended actions, the Board Office first considered numerous tuition alternatives such as further restricting admission into the three universities. The minimal anticipated savings did not justify the change that would have reduced opportunities for lowans to attend the state's public universities.

Other options considered and rejected did not adequately balance the factors identified below.

Educational Quality

The top priority for the Regents, in accordance with the Board's strategic plan, is to provide a quality education. This tuition proposal addresses the goal of maintaining educational quality.

Dramatic Reductions in State Support

The reductions in state support for FY 2002 and FY 2003 have been so deep that it is not possible or practical to "make up the difference" by tuition increases alone.

To get a sense of the enormous impact that these appropriations reductions have had on the universities, the appropriation cuts for FY 2002 and FY 2003 of \$124 million equate to approximately \$2,780 per lowa FTE student.

The state's economic circumstances are not likely to allow for restoration of the previous levels of appropriations in the short-term.

Even if the proposed tuition increases are adopted and state support stays level, the universities will still have to implement other measures to reduce costs in FY 2003 and FY 2004.

Projected Cost Increases

The Regent universities provide teaching, research, and services for over 70,000 students and nearly 3 million lowans.

Using the estimated inflation projections for FY 2004, just to provide the same general university educational and student services, it will cost between \$25.7 million (2.8% inflation) and \$46.7 million (5.1% inflation) more than FY 2003.

Market-Competitive Tuition Rates

The 2001-02 average Regent undergraduate tuition and fees were below the national average.

Each of the Regent universities' resident and nonresident tuition and fees for 2002-03 were below the average of its respective peer group.

^{**} Estimated.

Affordability and Accessibility

lowa's 2001-02 tuition and fees were at 81.4% of the national average. lowa's per capita income was at 89.7% of the national average.

lowa per capita income has remained fairly stable over the past ten years compared to other states; lowa's tuition and fees as a percentage of per capita income have fallen slightly compared with other states.

The Regent 2001-02 tuition and fees as a percentage of Iowa's per capita income for 2001 (12.7%) are less than the percentages for regional and peer states (which average 15.2%) and the national average (14.0%).

Despite recent tuition increases, lowans are still able to obtain a quality education at Regent universities for a reasonable price.

To help those with the greatest need for financial assistance, a significant portion of tuition revenues must continue to be set aside by the universities for student aid.

Return on Investment

The impact of a four-year degree on lifetime earnings is substantial. The U.S. Census Bureau recently published 2000 data that showed the average salary of an individual increases significantly with each additional level of education.

For example, a person with a high school degree earned an average annual salary of \$30,000 compared to \$52,200 with a bachelor's degree. Over a lifetime, that equates to an additional \$900,000. The return on investment is even more compelling when considering higher levels of education such as master, doctoral, or professional degrees.

The state benefits from the increased economic activity and revenue generated by a greater number of college graduates in the workforce.

Tuition Proceeds

The proposed tuition increases for the 2003-04 academic year would provide the following additional revenues:

Gross Tuition Proceeds	\$46.4 million
Financial Aid Set Aside	\$7.4 million
Net Tuition Proceeds	\$39.0 million

Planned Use of Tuition Proceeds

The universities propose that the new tuition proceeds be utilized in the following manner:

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- Increase the university's student financial aid set-aside percentage of the new marginal tuition revenue to 20%, which is expected to generate an additional \$800,000 for student aid.
- Provide the earmarked tuition surcharge revenues, after deducting the student financial aid component, in the manner specified for each surcharge.
- Consider the following educational investments:
 - Restoration of faculty positions that were lost with budget reductions; this tuition funding would be used in addition to the incremental FY 2004 appropriations requests.
 - Faculty start-up funding.

- Liberal Arts and Sciences initiative begun in FY 2003.
- A 10% increase in the library acquisitions budget.
- Building renewal budget increase to restore funding eliminated with budget reductions to work toward a goal of attaining a building renewal budget equal to 1% of replacement value.
- Special health insurance restoration adjustments for faculty and professional staff.
- Instructional technology support.
- Restorations of provost academic investment funds.

ISU

- Set aside more than 15% of the new tuition revenue for student financial aid.
- Use surcharge proceeds paid by Veterinary Medicine students to address critical needs in the College of Veterinary Medicine.
- Cover mandatory and inflationary cost increases such as cost increases in the State Auditor's fees, property insurance, fuel, library materials, software licenses, web-based systems, building repairs, as well as costs associated with opening new buildings.
- Support faculty recruitment and retention efforts, and new faculty positions and initiatives.
- Handle new expenses associated with biohazard security and new data required by the U.S. government on students and scholars who are not U.S. citizens.

UNI

- Retain student financial aid set-aside at 18% of tuition revenues.
- Meet mandatory cost increases such as utility costs, audit costs, and insurance costs.
- Rebuild faculty lines to meet student enrollment levels and strategic planning goal of 75% of faculty being in full-time tenure track positions.
- Restore building repair budget, which was reduced over 80% during the budget cuts.
- Provide support for:
 - Information systems.
 - Library support.
 - Supplies and services.

PROPOSED
PROFESSIONAL
TUITION INCREASE
DIFFERENTIAL

The University of Iowa has requested special consideration for its professional tuition rates. SUI requested that the resident and nonresident tuition rates for their professional programs in dentistry, law, medicine, MBA, and Pharm D. be increased at the same dollar amount as for a resident graduate student. Consequently, the nonresident rates for these programs would increase \$650 instead of \$1,300.

MANDATORY FEES

In the early 1990's, the Board established mandatory fees to provide distinct resources to respond to specific needs of students.

In October 1999, the Board made a fundamental change in the structure of tuition and fees, approving a request of the University of Iowa to establish new mandatory fees for certain student activities and student services rather than using designated tuition revenues.

Each of the universities implemented certain redirections of designated tuition. Iowa State University has not yet finished its multi-year implementation of redirections, which is scheduled for completion during the 2004-05 academic year.

University Proposals

The universities' proposals are outlined on the following table. Each includes inflationary and other adjustments as well as new fees. Attachment B, beginning on page 30, details each of the proposed changes for mandatory fees.

Additional Recommendations

Currently, there is a mix of mandatory fees and designated-tuition fees on a per student basis to provide funding for specific needs of students. In certain cases, a particular student need is funded from both sources. This is often confusing. The mechanism for charging student fees needs to be simplified.

The Board Office recommends, in addition to the universities' proposed changes for the 2003-04 academic year for mandatory fees, that the Board eliminate designated tuition by the 2004-2005 academic year.

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Summary

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	University	Board Office	Total	Remaining	
Actual	Proposal	Add'l Proposal	Proposal	Designated	
2002-03	2003-04	2003-04	2003-04	Tuition	
\$499.00	\$ 561	\$ 90	\$ 651	None	
418.00	568	118	686	\$56	
425.50	484	90	574	77	

Certain computer fees at SUI and ISU are higher than the regular computer fees.

SURCHARGES

University of Iowa Incremental Surcharges 2003-04 Academic Year

	Resident	Nonresident
College of Business – Master of Accountancy	\$1,065	\$1,065
College of Law	250	250
College of Nursing		
Masters for Clinical Leadership (MSN)	2,700	2,700
Professional Masters in Nursing & Health Care Practice	1,350	1,350
(formerly known as Masters in Care Management)		
College of Public Health – Master of Health Administration	1,000	1,000

Tuition surcharges represent earmarked amounts for specific colleges and purposes. Students enrolled in specific colleges pay the surcharge in addition to the university's base tuition and receive the benefits of additional resources. Once a surcharge is implemented, it becomes part of the base tuition for the following years.

Base tuition and base tuition increases are not earmarked for special academic units, but are part of the overall general university fund budgeting process.

TUITION-RELATED MISCELLANEOUS FEES

Miscellaneous fees and charges include both tuition-related and non-tuition-related charges. In each category, students pay only the miscellaneous fees and charges that apply to them; these charges vary depending on each student's program, needs, and interests.

Tuition-related fees include items such as continuing education courses and workshops. These fees are adjusted commensurate with the increase in tuition.

Non-tuition-related fees include a variety of items such as course delivery fees and private music lessons and are presented to the Board in the March/April timeframe at the same time that room and board charges are discussed.

PART TIME TUITION AND FEES

Details have been incorporated for the implementation of the proposed tuition and mandatory fee increases for part-time students.

STUDENT NOTICE

To increase tuition or mandatory fees, the Board of Regents is required by law to take action no sooner than 30 days after notification of the proposed increase to presiding officers of each student government organization at each affected institution and no later than November preceding the fiscal year in which the increase would apply.

PUBLIC COMMENT

Student government leaders were notified on September 12 and October 11 of tuition and fee increases.

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TUITION

BACKGROUND

Statutory Provisions

<u>lowa Code</u> §262.9(23) requires the Board to have a policy for the establishment of tuition rates that provides some predictability for assessing and anticipating changes.

<u>lowa Code</u> §262.9(18) requires the Board, when increasing tuition or mandatory fees, to take action no sooner than 30 days after notification of the proposed increase to presiding officers of each student government organization at each affected institution and no later than the November preceding the academic year in which the increase would apply.

This section further requires that the Regents publish the estimated total cost of attending the Regent universities, including room and board and other costs, at the same time that it publishes final tuition and mandatory fees.

Board's Strategic Plan

The Board Strategic Plan identifies the following four key result areas (KRA): quality (KRA 1.0.0.0), access (KRA 2.0.0.0), diversity (KRA 3.0.0.0), and accountability (KRA 4.0.0.0). The Board's tuition policy (including rate setting for mandatory fees) reflects aspects of all of these key result areas.

The Board's Plan is intended to promote broad access for Iowa residents to the Regent institutions, but also requires consideration of resources necessary to meet its aspirations.

The Board, through it strategic plan, challenges its institutions to be the best enterprise of public education in the United States through unique teaching, research, and outreach programs and supports its institutions in this endeavor by:

- Establishing tuition and fees annually to keep pace with inflation in addition to supporting aspirations for excellence;
- Encouraging the institutions to increase funding from private sources and external research grants and contracts;
- Requiring the institutions to reallocate an average of two percent of general operating funds annually; and
- Promoting broad access for lowa residents to the Regent institutions.

The annual establishment of tuition and fees provides the universities with an important component of overall educational resources — the component that shares the cost of higher education with the students.

Tuition Policy

Consistent with Iowa law and the Board's strategic plan, the Board's tuition policy provides:

Resident undergraduate tuition at the Regent universities shall be set annually to keep pace with the Higher Education Price Index (HEPI) and to provide support to finance university programs at levels sufficient to implement the Board's aspirations for excellence as outlined in the Board's strategic plan.

The Board's tuition policy is intended to recognize the aspirations of the Board and of the institutions. Securing sufficient resources is critical to the successful implementation of the Board's strategic plan.

The Regent universities rely heavily on state appropriations. The Board's tuition setting has had its basic premise in stable funding from state appropriations for university operations.

Chronology of Funding

Tuition Setting

- By law, the Board of Regents is required to set tuition no later than November of the year preceding the start of the academic year. During those tuition discussions, the Board outlines and approves the uses for the expected proceeds from tuition increases.
- Prior to FY 2002, tuition revenues had provided about 30% of the general university funding.

State Funding

- The formal state revenue estimates, by law, are determined in December by the State's Revenue Estimating Conference.
- The legislative session, which begins in January, must use those estimates in determining state spending levels for the ensuing fiscal year, which begins in July.
- The December revenue estimates may be reduced by the state's Revenue Estimating Conference during the legislative session.

Regent Activities

During July 2002, several members of the Board, the institutional officials, and Board Office staff, held eight different outreach meetings around the state.

Legislators and legislative candidates were invited to attend these meetings. Those individuals in attendance did not expect any major increases in state support for the Regent institutions for FY 2004. Many acknowledged that significant increases in tuition might be necessary to preserve higher education quality in FY 2004.

Analysis:

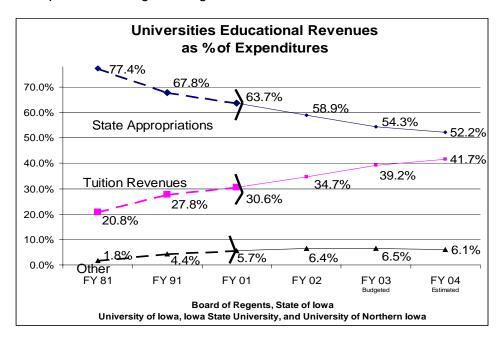
University Funding

To achieve the aspirations outlined in the Board and the institutional strategic plans, it is necessary for the Board to assure that the funding base is diverse and consistent with the Board's aspirations of becoming the best public education enterprise in the United States.

Resources are needed to maintain current operations, as well as student academic and support services. Resources are needed to meet strategic planning goals, especially with respect to undergraduate educational needs. These include classroom improvements, instructional equipment, library resources, experiential learning opportunities, student access, class size, and technology.

Sources

General university revenues are comprised of state appropriations, tuition, federal support, interest, indirect cost reimbursements, sales and services receipts, and other revenues. These revenues are unrestricted and provide funding for the general education of students.



Assumptions for chart: The FY 2004 percentages assume approval of the recommended tuition rates by the Board of Regents and funding of the Regent state appropriations requests for FY 2004, net of incremental salary funding, by the General Assembly and the Governor.

State Appropriations State appropriations have historically funded a large portion of the universities' educational costs. Since FY 1981, the portion of university expenditures financed by state appropriations has declined from 77.4% to an estimated 52.2%, as noted in the table.

Stable state support is vital to the mission of the Board and its institutions. Given recent appropriation reductions, increased state support in the future will be critical to moderate future tuition increases.

The Regent share of the state's general fund appropriations from FY 1992 through FY 2001 ranged from 14.7% to 15.3%. For FY 2003, the Regent share of the state general fund is less than 14.0%.

Appropriations Reductions

The Regent institutions have had appropriations reductions in each of the last four years with the most significant reductions in state appropriations in FY 2002 and FY 2003.

State Appropriations Reductions Regent Institutions

FY 2000	(\$3.4 million)
FY 2001	(\$2.7 million)
FY 2002	(\$81.9 million)
FY 2003	(\$42.6 million)

The appropriation reductions for FY 2002 and FY 2003 equate to approximately \$2,780 dollars per FTE lowa student.

Tuition

As indicated in the table on the previous page, the percent of tuition revenue to total general university expenditures has increased since 1999. Using the budget for 2002-03, the percent of tuition revenue to total general university expenditures reaches the highest percentage level (39.2%) in history.

Based on state funding of requested appropriations for FY 2004 and the proposed tuition increases, the percentage of general university expenditures met through tuition income is expected to increase to 41.7% for FY 2004.

The Regent undergraduate tuition increases have been moderate, except during periods of time when significant cutbacks in state support have been experienced.

	Undergra	aduate Tuition	Increase
	1998-99	3.9%	\$100
	1999-00	4.5%	\$120
	2000-01	4.3%	\$120
	2001-02	7.2%	\$210
	2002-03	18.5%	\$576
roposed	2003-04	17.6%	\$650

Shifting Revenue Sources A considerable shift in university revenues has occurred since FY 2000. In the aggregate, the state appropriations percentage of the budget declined by 10.0% while tuition and fees as a share of the budget increased by 9.1%. University revenue sources are being shifted from state appropriations to students and their families.

State appropriated dollars for the general university budgets have decreased 5.7% since FY 2000 while tuition dollars have increased 45.7%

Reallocations

Since FY 1997, the Board has required each institution to reallocate an average of 2% of its general operating fund per year as one means to support strategic planning initiatives.

The plan was for the institutions to utilize these reallocations to provide greater efficiency and effectiveness in achieving the institutional strategic plans by providing a structured means to strengthen good programs and eliminate weak programs.

With significant appropriation reductions in recent years, it was necessary for the institutions to use reallocations to attempt to maintain, rather than improve, quality.

Higher Education Costs

Inflation

The Board's policy is to keep pace with higher education inflation.

Inflation is generally discussed using price indexes that measure how the rate of inflation affects buyers (comparing increases in prices for the same goods and services). Price indexes, such as the Consumer Price Index, have been widely used by economists for many years to measure the purchasing power for consumer goods.

Consumer-based indexes, such as the Consumer Price Index, are limited in what they measure and therefore often are not appropriate to measure the substantially different mix of goods and services purchased by distinct economic sectors or commercial enterprises. Specialized sector indexes have been developed to measure more accurately the effects of inflation on enterprises that purchase goods and services which are significantly different than those purchased by consumers.

The education sector has long utilized specialized indexes – for elementary and secondary schools, as well as for colleges and universities.

Higher Education Price Index The U.S. Department of Education published the first Higher Education Price Index (HEPI) in 1975 to quantify the effects of inflation on the operations of colleges and universities. A similar index, the School Price Index, was later developed to measure the effects on inflation in elementary and secondary schools.

The U.S. Department of Education no longer calculates and publishes HEPI. Rather, Research Associates of Washington, a private research organization, periodically prepares and publishes HEPI in a publication entitled "Inflation Measures for Schools, Colleges, and Libraries." The publication reports distinctive education price information for school and college current operations, university sponsored research, academic and public library operation, tuition pricing, building construction, and capital equipment.

HEPI measures "the average relative level in the prices of a fixed market basket of goods and services purchased by colleges and universities through current fund educational and general expenditures excluding expenditures for research," as defined by Research Associates of Washington.

HEPI is based upon the prices of over 100 items purchased for current operations by colleges and universities in the following categories:

- Professional personnel (faculty, graduate assistants, extension/public service, administrative/institutional service, and library);
- Nonprofessional personnel (technicians, craftsmen, clerical, students, services, operators, and laborers);
- Services (data processing, communication, transportation, print, duplication, and miscellaneous);
- Supplies, equipment, and library acquisitions; and
- Utilities.

HEPI categories are weighted based upon their relative importance to educational and general budgets. HEPI is divided into personnel compensation and contracted services, supplies, and equipment. Personnel compensation is further weighted for professional salaries, nonprofessional wages and salaries, and fringe benefits. Contracted services, supplies, and equipment is further weighted according to utilities, services, supplies and materials, equipment, and library acquisitions.

Inflation Projections Since the Board determines tuition increases well in advance of the actual expenditure of funds, the Board utilizes inflation projections. The Institute for Economic Research at the University of Iowa prepares these projections, which include a range for HEPI.

	FY 2002	FY 2003	FY 2004
HEPI Projections*	2.6 - 6.4%	3.0 – 4.6%	2.8 – 5.1%
HEPI Actuals	3.8%	NA	NA

^{*} Forecasted ranges during the time the Board sets tuition. NA Not available.

Salaries

Salaries comprise more than 75% of the institutional general fund budgets, excluding the University of Iowa hospital operations.

State Salary Policy The state, during its process of negotiating collective bargaining agreements, determines the statewide salary increase policy. Certain Regent salary increases are determined through various collective bargaining agreements, including the state's negotiation of the AFSCME contract.

Historically, legislation requires that Regent institutions provide comparable salary increases for non-contract employees as provided for contract-covered employees.

In addition to the significant appropriation reductions, state appropriations to implement the state's salary policy have been underfunded during this same time period.

State Appropriations Salary Underfunding Regent Institutions

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FY 2000	(\$1.6 million)
FY 2001	(\$17.7 million)
FY 2002	(\$7.0 million)
FY 2003	(\$8.0 million)

Unit Cost of Instruction versus Tuition Charged The Regent universities compile information regarding the cost of instruction per student ("unit cost") on a biennial basis. The most recent unit cost study covered FY 2001 and was presented to the Board in June 2002. It has been Board policy that nonresident students pay, at a minimum, the full cost of their education at Regent universities.

Unit cost represents the general fund supported cost of instruction of a full-time equivalent student at a given level and is calculated making certain assumptions relative to instruction costs at the various student levels (i.e., lower division undergraduates, upper division undergraduates, graduate, and professional).

Costs such as building repairs, public service, scholarships and fellowships, auxiliary enterprises, health care units, indirect cost recovery, and capitals have historically been excluded from the unit cost calculations.

Unit Cost with Estimated Capital Component The Board requested that a capital component be incorporated into the unit cost calculation to more completely reflect the cost of educating a student.

Facilities studies from national organizations indicate that in order to preserve the value of college or university facilities, institutions should allocate:

- Sufficient renewal funds on an ongoing basis to keep facilities in good condition for present use (1.5% - 2.5% of replacement value of campus facilities); and
- Sufficient facility adaptation funds on an ongoing basis to alter the facilities for changes in use and codes and standards (0.5% - 1.5% of replacement value of campus facilities).

The Board Office has provided an estimate of undergraduate unit costs using 2% of building replacement value as the capital component. Two percent represents the sum of the low end of the ranges identified above.

This methodology provides more consistent data than using actual costs that fluctuate considerably from year to year due partially to the timing and cash flows of capital projects. In addition, recent budget reductions in building repair funds negatively impact the capital component costs compared to prior years.

The following table compares Regent resident and nonresident undergraduate tuition, estimated unit costs of instruction for FY 2003, and actual unit costs from the reports covering FY 2000 and FY 2001.

The FY 2003 unit cost estimates are based on FY 2001 unit cost data adjusted for general fund budget and enrollment changes. Note that the tuition for nonresident undergraduates exceeds the computed unit cost of instruction at all three universities for FY 2003.

University of Iowa	FY 2001	FY 2003
Resident Undergraduate Tuition Only	\$2,906	\$3,692
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Nonresident Undergraduate Tuition Only	\$10,668	\$13,334
Undergraduate Unit Costs	\$9,432	\$9,699*
Undergraduate Unit Cost with Est. Capital	\$10,264	\$10,849*
Iowa State University	FY 2001	FY 2003
Resident Undergraduate Tuition Only	\$2,906	\$3,692
Nonresident Undergraduate Tuition Only	\$9,748	\$12,384
Undergraduate Unit Costs	\$8,402	\$8,679*
Undergraduate Unit Cost with Est. Capital	\$9,124	\$9,532*
University of Northern Iowa	FY 2001	FY 2003
Resident Undergraduate Tuition Only	\$2,906	\$3,692
Nonresident Undergraduate Tuition Only	\$7,870	\$10,000
Undergraduate Unit Costs	\$8,132	\$8,167*
Undergraduate Unit Cost with Est. Capital	\$9,230	\$9,363*
* Projected		

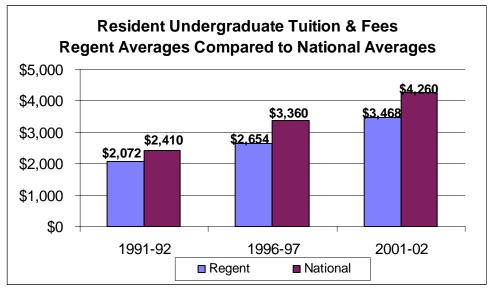
^{*} Projected.

Market Price

National Comparisons

Averages of Tuition and Fees for Public Universities

The national average resident undergraduate tuition and fees for public universities have grown at a higher rate than Regent tuition and fees over the last 10 years as evidenced in the following table.



Source: "2001-2002 Tuition and Fee Rates, A National Comparison," Washington State Higher Education Coordinating Board, January 2002.

Peer Group Comparisons Resident and nonresident undergraduate tuition and fees at the Regent universities are below the average tuition and fees of their established peer university comparison groups. The University of Northern Iowa resident tuition and fees is closest to the average of its peer group at 98.5%. The University of Iowa and Iowa State University are at 81.9% and 80.4%, respectively, of the averages of their peer groups' tuition and fees.

Regent Undergraduate Tuition and Fees 2002-03 Academic Year				
	Resident	Nonresident		
University of Iowa	\$4,191	\$13,833		
SUI Peer Group Average *	5,116	15,932		
\$ from Peer Group Average	925	2,099		
% of Peer Group Average	81.9%	86.8%		
Iowa State University	\$4,110	\$12,802		
ISU Peer Group Average *	5,110	15,213		
\$ from Peer Group Average	1,000	2,411		
% of Peer Group Average	80.4%	84.2%		
University of Northern Iowa	\$4,118	\$10,426		
UNI Peer Group Average *	4,182	11,912		
\$ from Peer Group Average	64	1,486		
% of Peer Group Average	98.5%	87.5%		

^{*} Averages exclude Regent institutions.

While the base tuition percentage increases of the past two years have been higher at the Regent institutions than in the past, the dollar increases have been below or comparable to those of peer group institutions. The tables on the following page show peer group comparisons of undergraduate resident tuition and fees for the 2002-2003 academic year.

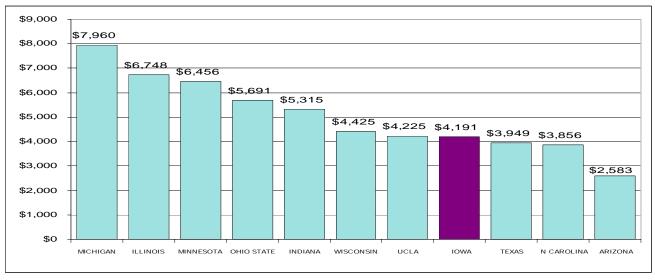
The University of Iowa and the University of Northern Iowa have both gained one position within the group since the 2001-2002 academic year. Iowa State University remains in the same relative position within its peer group.

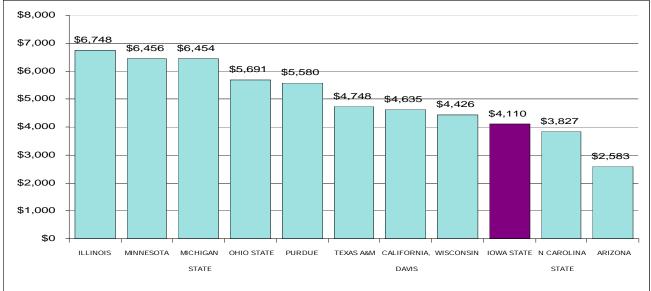
Some of the peer institutions have established two levels of tuition – one for new students and one for continuing students. The tables reflect the cost to a new student.

Iowa Private College Comparison The average tuition and fees of lowa's independent colleges and universities is 4.0 times higher than the average of the Regent institutions.

24 Iowa Independent Colleges and Universities Average Tuition and Fees Comparison 2002-03 Academic Year				
Regent University Average Resident Tuition & Fees	\$4,140			
Independent's Undergraduate Average	16,576			
Regent \$ from Independents Average	12,436			
Regent Tuition & Fees as % of Independents Average	25.0%			

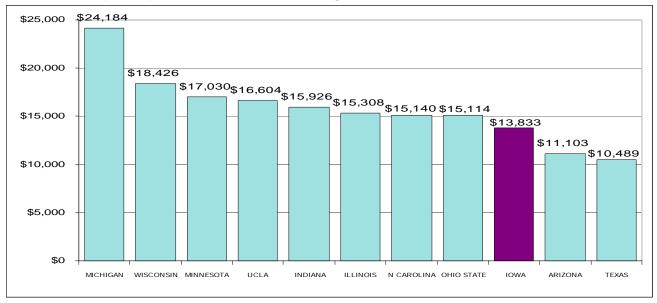
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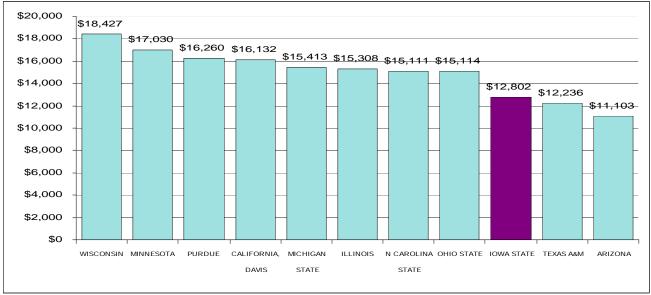


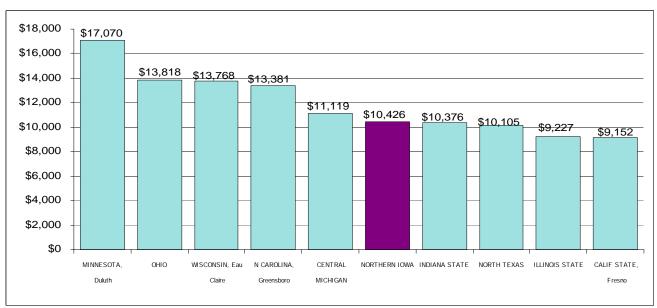




Peer Group Comparisons of 2002-03 Undergraduate Nonresident Tuition and Fees





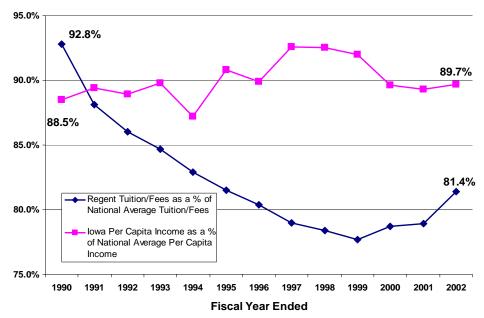


Accessibility

Tuition and Fees to Per Capita Income

The following chart shows the Regent tuition as a percent of the national average compared to the Iowa per capita income as a percent of the national average.

Percentages of National Averages



Sources: Washington State Higher Education Coordinating Board, State Tuition and Fee Rates, January 2002 and US Department of Commerce, Bureau of Economic Analysis, September 2002.

lowa's per capita personal income of \$27,331 in 2001-2002, as published by the U.S. Department of Commerce was 89.7% of the national average of \$30,472. Regent average tuition and fees of \$3,468 for 2001-2002 were 81.4% of the national average of \$4,260.

State Comparisons

The table below lists the ten states represented in the Regent universities peer comparison groups, along with other states contiguous to Iowa, and shows:

- Average public university resident undergraduate tuition and fees charged in each state as a percentage of each state's per capita personal income;
- Tuition and fees ranking within the United States, with one being the highest and 50 being the lowest; and
- Per capita income ranking within the United States with one being the highest and 50 being the lowest.

	Tuition and Fees as % of Per Capita Income		Tuition and Fees Ranking	Per Capita Income Ranking
	<u>2000-01</u>	<u>2001-02</u>	<u>2001-02</u>	<u>2001-02</u>
IOWA	11.9%	12.7%	33	33
Arizona*	9.4%	9.6%	48	38
California	12.6%	12.6%	21	10
Illinois	15.7%	17.4%	7	9
Indiana	16.2%	17.0%	17	31
Michigan	22.4%	23.3%	4	18
Minnesota	15.3%	16.7%	8	8
Missouri	17.4%	17.3%	14	28
Nebraska	12.5%	13.0%	27	22
North Carolina*	10.1%	11.7%	40	32
Ohio	15.7%	16.6%	16	21
South Dakota	13.3%	13.7%	30	36
Texas	13.7%	14.8%	19	26
Wisconsin	13.5%	14.0%	22	19
Average of above excluding lowa	14.4%	15.2%		
NATIONAL AVERAGE	13.6%	14.0%		

Sources: Washington State Higher Education Coordinating Board, State Tuition and Fee Rates, January 2002 and US Department of Commerce, Bureau of Economic Analysis, September 2002.

Regent tuition and fees as a percentage of lowa per capita personal income is less than the percentages of most of its peer group states, other Midwestern states, and the nation as a whole.

^{*} Certain states, such as Arizona and North Carolina, have constitutional restrictions on tuition.

Regent Tuition Financial Aid Set-Aside Policy To accomplish the Board's key result areas on quality and access, it is essential that the universities attract quality students as well as provide affordable higher education. A mix of need-based aid and merit aid from the tuition set-aside addresses both of these Board key result areas.

Currently, the minimum required student aid set-aside is 11%. Normally, the student aid set-aside percentages of the individual universities are commensurate with the overall tuition increases and, therefore, increase as a result of the tuition rate increases approved by the Board. The universities have increased student aid set-aside above the required minimum of 11%.

The following table shows the total institutional student aid as compared to tuition in the FY 2003 budgets.

		FY 2003 Budget			
	Tuition		Student Aid as		
	<u>Revenues</u>	Student Aid	% of Tuition		
SUI	\$171,468,028	\$27,992,610	16.3%		
ISU	\$140,407,826	\$28,945,428	20.6%		
UNI	\$ 47,533,069	\$ 9,189,242	19.3%		

The following table shows the FY 2002 student aid set-aside by institution and the percentage that is merit and need-based. In many cases, a student who receives merit-based financial assistance could have also qualified for need-based aid. The footnotes identify the portion of the merit-based aid that reflects the need-based component.

FY 2002 Tuition Set-Aside Student Financial Aid

	Student Aid Set-Aside 1	% Need- <u>Based ²</u>	% Merit ²
University of Iowa	\$22,110,034	70.2%	29.8% ³
Iowa State University	\$23,379,882	29.1%	$70.9\%^{4}$
University of Northern Iowa	\$7,289,759	43.6%	56.4% ⁵

¹ All educational levels.

As noted in the Annual Student Financial Aid Report, presented in October, total student financial assistance for FY 2002 from all sources was \$541.2 million (+11.9%) and encompassed more than 163,000 awards (+4.6%). (Note: the number of awards does not reflect the number of students. A student may receive more than one award.)

FY 2002 Student Financial Assistance

	# of	Value of	Mean
	<u>Awards</u>	<u>Awards</u>	Award
Grants/Scholarships	\$60,380	\$133,753,239	\$2,215
Loans	69,799	291,109,154	4,171
Employment	33,684	116,315,107	3,453
Total	\$163,863	\$541,177,500	\$3,303

² Undergraduates.

³ 43% demonstrated need.

⁴ 46% demonstrated need.

⁵ 14.3% also had demonstrated need.

Need-Based Loans All students that apply for need-based financial assistance must use the Free Application for Federal Student Assistance (FAFSA). The institutions, through a combination of grants/scholarships, loans, and employment, address student's needs individually. The average need-based indebtedness for graduating seniors with debt at the time of graduation in FY 2002 was \$9,855 at SUI, \$12,720 at ISU, and \$11,434 at UNI.

Financial Aid Information

The Regent university financial aid directors ran scenarios of financial need with the proposed tuition increases. Using the 2002-03 enrolled undergraduate students that filed the FAFSA forms, the university financial aid directors identified the students with demonstrated need for the 2002-03 academic year and then projected the increases in students needing financial aid if the \$650 and \$1,300 tuition increase were implemented. The following table presents the projected increases in students needing financial aid if tuition would be increased as proposed.

Undergraduate Students									
2002-03 Enrollments	Students Submitting FAFSA		Stud Show	ving	Students Not Showing Need	Proje Increa Need Prop Tuit Incre	ase in with osed tion		
	#	%	#	%		#	%		
18,774 10,923	8,427 2,977	44.9% 27.3%	6,279 2,072	74.5% 69.6%	2,148 905	112 73	1.8% 3.5%		
19,926 7,972	12,489 2,882	62.7% 36.2%	9,498 2,139	76.1% 74.2%	2,991 743	202 67	2.1% 3.1%		
12,781 1 145	8,731 444	68.3% 38.8%	6,751 361	77.3% 81.3%	1,980 83	173 12	2.6%		

SUI
Resident
Nonresident
ISU
Resident
Nonresident
UNI
Resident
Nonresident

Set-Aside Recommendation The Board Office is recommending that the Board increase the minimum amount of student aid set-aside from 11% to 15% with an emphasis on increasing the need-based aid.

The Board Office is also recommending that the universities report back to the Board on the allocation between need-based and merit aid of the total set-aside, as well as enhanced efforts to provide need-based aid.

Under the current tuition proposal, the increased revenues and the minimum 15% set-aside would provide an additional \$7.4 million for student financial aid.

The Board Office further recommends that Board members encourage legislators to support efforts to increase state and federal commitments to both public and state and federal student financial aid programs due to the increased needs for many students.

Regent Financial Aid								
	EV 4000	By Funding		EV 0004	EV 0000			
Grants	FY 1998	FY 1999	FY 2000	FY 2001	FY 2002			
Federal	36,148,323	38,460,623	37,855,786	41,329,761	49,153,189			
State	3,560,476	3,477,959	3,511,674	4,169,543	4,501,290			
Institutional	58,847,635	63,881,800	69,384,752	72,504,865	80,098,760			
monatorial	98,556,434	105,820,382	110,752,212	118,004,169	133,753,239			
Loans	30,000,404	100,020,002	110,702,212	110,004,100	100,700,200			
Federal	197,134,671	199,506,283	205,414,062	210,035,578	237,685,903			
Institutional	1,548,107	1,668,715	1,929,466	1,911,990	2,117,400			
Private	15,958,887	22,696,441	29,935,179	40,235,364	51,305,851			
	214,641,665	223,871,439	237,278,707	252,182,932	291,109,154			
Employment	4 700 050	5 044 070	5 000 000	5.055.745	5 400 000			
Federal	4,732,856	5,644,976	5,320,322	5,355,745	5,463,820			
State Institutional	2,150,840 102,580,810	2,164,233	2,454,183	1,949,945	- 110 051 207			
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	109,464,506	109,661,218	113,320,536	113,576,895	116,315,107			
Totals								
Federal	238,015,850	243,611,882	248,590,170	256,721,084	292,302,912			
State	5,711,316	5,642,192	5,965,857	6,119,488	4,501,290			
Institutional	162,976,552	167,402,524	176,860,249	180,688,060	193,067,447			
Private	15,958,887	22,696,441	29,935,179	40,235,364	51,305,851			
	422,662,605	439,353,039	461,351,455	483,763,996	541,177,500			
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	FY 1998	_		FY 2001	FY 2002			
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Need-based Need/Merit Merit only Other Loans Need-based	36,180,356 35,279,411 24,672,808 2,423,859 98,556,434	By Aid 1 FY 1999 40,335,709 36,965,533 26,125,526 2,393,614 105,820,382 112,451,593	FY 2000 40,193,123 40,392,826 27,930,597 2,235,666 110,752,212 109,610,891	42,073,027 42,859,452 30,279,350 2,792,340 118,004,169	56,067,255 45,965,908 27,836,388 3,883,688 133,753,239 119,569,184			
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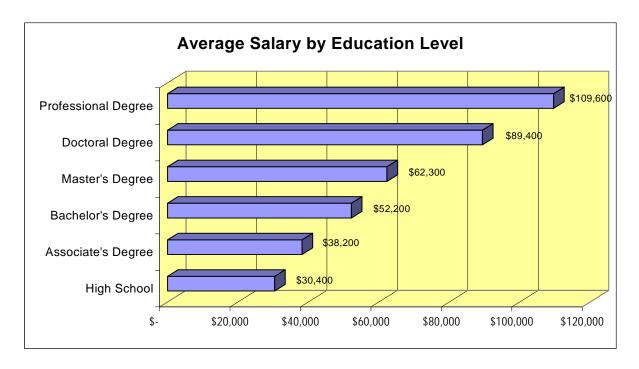
Return on Investment

Value of a College Education

The value of education can be measured in many ways. Unquestionably, higher education improves the quality of life, increases individual opportunities, and provides numerous benefits for the individual student and society.

America's business environment has become more global and highly competitive. Information technology, communications, and intellectual capital power today's businesses. The driving forces of this new economy are ideas, knowledge, services, and high-order skills. To succeed in the new economy, workers must be prepared to enhance their skills and make a commitment to lifelong learning.

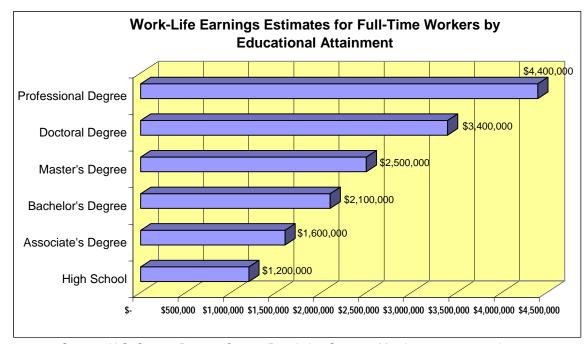
Higher education is uniquely positioned to meet the needs of individuals in the new economy. This is evident in the following table that represents 2000 data from the United States Census Bureau. With each additional level of education, the average salary an individual can earn increases significantly.



Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Current Population Surveys, March 1998, 1999, and 2000.

Student's Return on Educational Investment

The significant increases in salaries by educational attainment compound over a lifetime as illustrated in the following table.



Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Current Population Surveys, March 1998, 1999, and 2000.

The following example is provided to demonstrate the value of higher education to an individual and the substantial return on investment. The analysis is simple and therefore does not take into consideration inflation, wage or cost increases, or promotional opportunities.

Wage/Salary Differential

• The difference in average salary between individuals with a high school diploma and a bachelor's degree is an annual increase of \$21,800 (71.7%) for calendar year 2000.

Cost of Education

• The average tuition at a Regent University for the same time period was \$3,155 per year for a four-year cost of tuition totaling \$12,620.

Opportunity Cost

• If an individual goes to college for four years instead of earning an average salary with a high school diploma of \$30,400 for four years, the opportunity cost (or lost wages) during that four-year period would be \$121,600.

Pay Back Period

- To pay back the average tuition required to achieve the four-year degree, it would take 1.7 years at the average bachelor's degree wage (excluding wages that would have been earned with a high school diploma).
- It would take an additional 5.6 years to recover the opportunity cost.

Added Value

- Assuming that the student works until a projected retirement age of 68, he/she will have earned a salary that was at least 71.7% higher for the remaining 38.7 years of his/her working life after accounting for the years in the pay back period.
- The remaining 38.7 working years would provide additional value in compensation of at least \$843,542.

Return on Investment

- The net added value return on investment for tuition paid to earn a bachelor's degree is about \$66.80 for every tuition dollar spent.
- The return on investment is even more compelling when considering higher levels of education such as master, doctoral, or professional degrees.
- Individuals with each level of higher education would have more disposable income to contribute to the economy.

Estimated Cost of Attendance

The following table provides estimates of the total cost of attendance for an undergraduate student using the two identified tuition proposals.

The Regent residence systems and financial aid offices have provided estimated 2003-04 room and board charges and other costs associated with attending the Regent universities.

Actual room and board rates are set in the spring when the effects of such variables as occupancy rates, and the costs for food, utilities, and repairs are better known.

Other costs, as quantified for financial aid calculations, include the universities' estimates of student costs for books, supplies, transportation, and personal expenses.

TUITION PROPOSAL 2003-04 Academic Year Estimated Cost of Attendance Resident Undergraduate

SUI ISU UNI Average

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Tuition	Room &	Other	Estimated	Incr. from			
& Fees*	Board**	Costs**	Totals**	2002-03**			
\$4,993	\$5,622	\$3,670	\$14,285	\$1,209			
5,028	5,400	3,685	14,113	1,394			
4,916	4,964	3,668	13,548	1,110			
\$4,979	\$5,329	\$3,674	\$13,982	\$1,238			

^{*} Proposed.

^{**} Estimated.

Proposed Professional Tuition Increase Differential – SUI The University of Iowa requested that the resident and nonresident tuition rates for their professional programs in dentistry, law, medicine, MBA, and Pharm D. be increased at the same dollar amount as for a resident graduate student. Consequently, the nonresident rates for these programs would increase by \$650 instead of by \$1,300.

With the significant base tuition increases and surcharges that have been implemented in recent years, tuition and fees for some of the professional programs have surpassed national averages. In addition, the University has expressed concern about using the same percentage increases in nonresident tuition since the base is significantly greater.

The following tables identify proposed revised 2003-04 tuition and mandatory fees for these professional programs.

Proposed Resident Tuition and Fees

	2002-03 Base Tuition	Tuition Increase	Surcharge	Mandatory Fees	2003-04 Tuition and Mandatory Fees
SUI					
Dentistry	\$15,284	\$650	\$0	\$651	\$16,585
Law	\$9,910	\$650	\$250	\$793	\$11,603
MBA	\$9,400	\$650	\$0	\$651	\$10,701
Medicine	\$17,188	\$650	\$0	\$651	\$18,489
Pharm D.	\$10,628	\$650	\$0	\$651	\$11,929

Proposed Nonresident Tuition and Fees 2003-04 Tuition and 2002-03 Base **Tuition** Mandatory Mandatory **Tuition** Increase Surcharge Fees Fees \$31,550 \$30,249 \$650 \$0 \$651 \$793 \$25,361 \$23,668 \$650 \$250 \$17,712 \$650 \$0 \$651 \$19,013 \$650 \$0 \$651 \$36,957 \$35,656 \$24,782 \$650 \$0 \$651 \$26,083

SUI
Dentistry
Law
MBA
Medicine
Pharm D.

MANDATORY FEES

Executive Summary:

Mandatory fees provide a distinct resource to respond to the specific needs of students.

SUI

The University of Iowa's proposal for the 2003-04 academic year includes:

- A new building fee of \$29 for the renovation of the Student Union.
- Sizeable increases in the engineering (\$78) and law (\$50) computer fees.
- Inflationary increases for the general computer, health, student activities, student services, and student union fees.

ISU

Iowa State University proposes, for the 2003-04 academic year:

- Continuation of its multi-year redirection of tuition to mandatory fees.
- An \$82 increase in the Student Services fee \$77 from redirecting designated tuition and a \$5 inflationary adjustment.
- A new \$30 building fee for future improvements to the Memorial Union.
- A \$15 increase in the health fee to stabilize the funding base for the Student Health Center.
- Inflationary increases for all computer fees.

UNI

The University of Northern Iowa proposes:

- An \$18 increase in the Student Services fee: \$10 for the Panther Pass and \$8 for intercollegiate athletics.
- A new \$26 Health Facility fee to support future debt service for a building project to repair, renovate, and add space to the current Student Health Center.
- Inflationary increases for the computer and health fees.

Additional Recommendations

The Board Office proposes, in addition to the above, that the Board:

- Eliminate all fees from tuition revenues (designated tuition) over a two-year period, with all designated tuition fees to be eliminated by the 2004-05 academic year.
- For the 2004-05 academic year, redirect all building fees currently in designated fees as mandatory building fees.
- Request ISU to redirect its Student Services designated-tuition fee (\$45) to mandatory fees during the 2003-04 academic year.
- Reclassify the UNI building fee portion of its Student Services mandatory fee to the proposed new mandatory building fee.

Mandatory Fees

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	Actual	Proposed	Dollar	Percentage			
	<u>2002-03</u>	2003-04	<u>Increase</u>	Increase			
SUI*	\$499.00	\$651	\$152.00	30.5%			
ISU*	\$418.00	\$686	\$268.00	64.1%			
UNI	\$425.50	\$574	\$148.50	34.9%			

Computer fees vary at SUI and ISU.

Background:

Mandatory Fees History

During the early 1990's, the Regents approved three types of mandatory fees — health fees, computer fees, and health facility fees.

The computer fee was initiated in the fall of 1990 for FY 1992. The institutions were charging numerous, miscellaneous computer fees for courses/programs. The Board consolidated these miscellaneous computer fees into a comprehensive fee to improve computer education and access for all students. The mandatory computer fee continues to serve the purpose for which it was established, providing a distinct resource to respond to computer infrastructure and technology needs to support instructional initiatives and programs.

The student health fee was approved for FY 1991, after several months of study. This fee eliminated the existing voluntary health fee and created a mandatory student health fee to benefit all students.

The health facility fee was initiated at lowa State University for FY 1994 to be applied to debt service obligations on a bond sale that funded the relocation and improvements of facilities for the Student Health Service.

Redirect of Tuition to Mandatory Fees for Academic Purposes For many years, the Board has set tuition and mandatory fees in the fall of each year. During the following May Board meeting, the Board has designated a portion of tuition for specific purposes such as student activities, student services, and debt service.

In October 1999, the Board made a fundamental change in the structure of tuition and fees, approving a request of the University of Iowa to establish new mandatory fees for certain student activities and student services rather than using designated tuition revenues. The change took tuition revenues that had been historically designated for student activities and student services, and established them as separate and distinct mandatory fees.

In October 2000, the Board made a similar redirection of tuition to new mandatory fees for Iowa State University and the University of Northern Iowa so that an additional portion of tuition revenues could be utilized for academic programs.

Consequences

This redirection from tuition to mandatory fees had significant consequences:

- Tuition dollars became available for academic areas and needs.
- Students paid mandatory fees rather than tuition to support specific programs that promote student activities and services.
- Students continued to pay the same amount for tuition, plus any base tuition increase approved by the Board for next year (i.e. students continued to pay the same level of tuition, but the funds are spent for different purposes).

Student Fee Committee

Iowa Code §262.34B establishes a procedure for proposing student activity fee changes. The law requires that a Student Fee Committee at each university, composed of five students and five university employees, make recommendations to the University president, who in turn makes a recommendation to the Board.

The final decision on student activity fee changes rests with the Board. The redirection of the designated tuition does not modify the procedure established in Iowa Code §262.34B. The Student Fee Committee process will continue to determine the specific allocations of student activity fee revenues.

Continued Student Involvement

In approving this redirection to mandatory fees, the Board required the universities to return to the Board for specific approval of any increase in fees and to do the following:

- Consult with students regarding the proposed expenditures of the newly available tuition revenues released by redirection of tuition to fees.
- Report to the Board on revenues and expenditures for all tuition and fees generated by this proposal (including the disposition of unallocated funds).
- Address the applicability of mandatory fees for part-time students, off-campus students, and summer session students.

Comparative Data

SUI* ISU* UNI

Detailed information on the mandatory fees for each of the universities' peer institutions is available from the Board Office.

Mandatory Fees

Summary

	University	Board Office	Total	Remaining
Actual	Proposal	Add'l Proposal	Proposal	Designated
2002-03	2003-04	2003-04	2003-04	Tuition**
\$499.00	\$ 561	\$ 90	\$ 651	None
418.00	568	118	686	\$56
425.50	484	90	574	77

Computer fees for students in Business Administration, Engineering, and Law at SUI; and Computer Science and Management Information Systems at ISU are higher than the regular computer fees, as previously approved by the Board.

^{**}To be redirected 2004-2005 academic year.

University of Iowa

	2002-03	2003-04 Proposals			Remaining
		Board Off.		Designated-	
		University	Added		Tuition
	Actual	Request	Recomm.	Total	Fees
Computer*	\$180	\$188	-	\$188	
Health	142	159	-	159	
Health Facility	10	10	-	10	
Student Activities	37	39	-	39	
Student Services	49	51	-	51	
Student Union	81	85	-	85	
Building Fee	_=	<u>29</u>	<u>90</u>	<u>119</u>	
TOTAL	\$499	\$ 561	\$ 90	\$ 651	None

Computer fees for students in Business Administration, Engineering, and Law at SUI and Computer Science and Management Information Systems at ISU are higher than the above proposed computer fees.

Computer		Actual 2002-03	Proposed	Increase	
			<u>2003-04</u>	<u>\$</u>	<u>%</u>
	All students except Business Administration,				
	Law, and Engineering students	\$180	\$188	\$8	4.4%
	Law students	\$280	\$330	\$50	17.9%
	Business Administration students	\$402	\$420	\$18	4.5%
	Engineering students	\$402	\$480	\$78	19.4%

The University allocates the collegiate share of its general student computing fees based on the number of students in the colleges. The fees support general student computing labs, technology classrooms, student help desk, and off-campus Internet access, in relation to the number of students it teaches.

The University indicates that the colleges will continue to include students in the decision making process for funding allocations, with oversight of the computer fees provided by the university-wide faculty/student advisory committee.

Uses of Computer Fee Increases

The University proposes to utilize the increased computer fees as follows: <u>General</u> – to fund inflationary increases and support the increased use of computer and computer-related technology by all students and faculty (\$45,000 new revenues).

<u>Business</u> – to replace old computers and related technology in student labs and to provide support staff to assist students (\$86,000 new revenues).

<u>Law</u> – to finance the College's continuing commitments to provide student access to legal databases (\$51,000 new revenues).

<u>Engineering</u> – use \$18 to fund inflationary increases and \$60 to return to a three-year upgrade cycle on machines and software (\$88,000 new revenues).

Health

The University requests a \$17 increase for the Student Health Service to generate approximately \$418,000 to support the operating expenses of the clinic.

The University indicates that 71% of the student health center income is from the health and health facility fees. Another 20% is from service fees and the remaining 9% is from a University allocation.

Health Facility

The University does not propose changes to the health facility fee.

Student Activities

The University proposes a \$2 increase (5.4%) for the 2003-04 academic year in the student activities fee. This fee predominantly funds the student government. The University reports that the SUI Student Government (UISG) concurs with the increase.

Student Services

The University proposes a \$2 increase (4.1%) for the 2003-04 academic year in the student service fee. This fee supports CAMBUS, the *Daily Iowan*, and recreational services. The University did not report on whether SUI Student Government concurs with the increase.

Student Union

The University proposes a \$4 increase (4.9%) for the 2003-04 academic year in the student union fee. This fee supports the operations of the Iowa Memorial Union (IMU), which is an integral part of student life. The University did not report on whether SUI Student Government concurs with the increase.

New Building Fee

The University requests establishment of a student union renovation fee of \$29 for Phase I of a multi-year, multi-phased project to renovate the lowa Memorial Union facility.

As part of the Student Services Master Plan, a study was conducted of what students desired in a student union facility. The study found that students:

- Considered improvement to the facility a high priority.
- Were willing to finance improvements through student fees.
- Expected student usage of the facility to increase (53% to 79%).
- Wanted more convenient hours, better service, and space dedicated to students.
- Wanted improvements in food service, variety, and cost.

The University reports that the student leaders support the idea. The UISG requested the following stipulations for the renovation:

- Each phase will improve or increase student space, not just maintain present space.
- The fee charged to students will be reviewed with student leaders each year.
- Students will continue to be included in the planning process for these improvements.

The estimated cost of Phase I is \$8,976,000. The inclusion of debt service reserve and issuance costs would require a \$10 million bond issuance.

The University completed implementation of its multi-year plan for redirecting designated tuition toward mandatory fees. The University's only remaining designated tuition is an \$89.04 building allocation. The Board Office proposes to redirect this to a mandatory fee – as a \$90 increase to the University-proposed new building fee.

Iowa State University

		Remaining			
	2002-03	2003-04 Proposals			Designated-
			Board Off.		Tuition
		University	Add'l		Fees
	Actual	Request	Proposal	Total	
Computer*	\$180	\$188	-	\$188	
Health	130	160	-	160	
Health Facility	16	16	-	16	
Student Activities	57	57	-	57	
Student Services	35	117	\$42	159	\$56**
Building Fee	<u> </u>	<u>30</u>	<u>76</u>	<u>106</u>	
TOTAL	\$ 418	\$ 568	\$ 118	\$ 686	\$56

- * Computer fees for students in Computer Science and Management Information Systems are higher than the above proposed computer fees.
- ** \$54 of this fee supports the operating expenses of the Memorial Union; the \$2 allocation for campus safety and child care will become a general fund expense.

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	Actual	Proposed	Increase	
	<u>2002-03</u>	<u>2003-04</u>	<u>\$</u>	<u>%</u>
All students except Computer Science &				
Management Information Systems and	\$180	\$188	\$8	4.4%
Engineering students		•	* -	
Computer Science & Management Information Systems students	\$308	\$322	\$14	4.5%
Engineering students	\$386	\$404	\$18	4.7%
Graduate students	\$144	\$150	\$6	4.2%
Graduate students	φ1 44	φιου	φυ	4.2 /0

lowa State University proposes inflationary increases in all categories of computer fees. The University estimates that the additional fees will generate approximately \$250,000 for the 2003-04 academic year.

These fees support microcomputing, as well as other student instructional computing facilities and services, such as print services, short courses, computer training opportunities, and library databases and other information services. Individual colleges use funds for hardware maintenance, hardware and software upgrades, student laboratory monitors, and printing supplies.

lowa State University splits the generated fees between a Central Pool and a College Pool. The College Pool is allocated to colleges based on student credit hours and the number of majors in each college. The Central Pool allocates funds for access to the Center for Academic Information technologies facilities and services, for databases and other information services in the Parks Library, and for other projects on a competitive basis.

Health

The University proposes an increase of \$30 (23.1%) in its student health fee. The University reports that the additional fee would generate approximately \$800,000 to provide stable funding for the operations of the Student Health Center.

The University indicates that some of the major elements impacting the revenues of the Center include: loss of general university support, increased medical inflation, federally-mandated information technology upgrades, and restoration of operating and capital reserves.

Health Facility

The University does not propose changes to the health facility fee.

Student Activities

The University does not propose changes to the student activities fee.

Student Services

The University is proposing implementation of the third year of a four-year plan (previously reported to the Board) developed in consultation with student government leaders.

The University proposes to move the Cyride designated tuition allocation of \$38.80 and the recreation allocation of \$38.20 into its Student Services mandatory fee for the 2003-04 academic year. The Memorial Union allocation will be delayed until the 2004-05 academic year to permit the University to work with the student government on the future operating arrangements of the Memorial Union.

This is a modification from the plan presented to the Board last year, which postponed the move of the recreation allocation, not the Memorial Union, until the 2004-05 academic year.

Preliminary discussion with student government leaders indicated support for a \$5 inflationary increase to the Student Services mandatory fee in addition to the other changes for the fee.

New Building Fee

The University reports the Memorial Union is in need of renovation, which is a high priority of students, alumni, and the university community. Students have created a reserve for future improvements to the Memorial Union to be utilized for future building renovations or debt service.

The building needs to be renovated to:

- Address various access and code issues; and
- Modernize meeting spaces to permit technology use.

Student government leaders supported the implementation of a \$15 per student per semester fee or \$30 per academic year for the Memorial Union at an April 2002 meeting. The Board has approved a project to begin planning the renovations for the Memorial Union.

The University's multi-year plan for redirecting designated tuition did not include the \$75.22 building allocation. The Board Office proposes to redirect this to a mandatory fee – as a \$76 increase to the University-proposed new building fee.

University of Northern Iowa

	2002-03	200	2003-04 Proposals					
			Designated-					
		University	Added		Tuition			
	Actual	Request	Recomm.	Total	Fees			
Computer	\$140.00	\$150	-	\$150				
Health	112.00	116	-	116				
Health Facility	0	26	-	26				
Student Activities	0	0	-	0	\$77*			
Student Services	173.50	192	(\$90)	102				
Building Fee		<u>0</u>	<u>180</u>	<u>180</u>				
TOTAL	\$ 425.50	\$ 484	\$ 90	\$ 574	\$77			

^{*}This remaining designated-tuition amount represents the Student Activities fee.

Computer

The University of Northern Iowa proposes a \$10 (7.5%) increase per academic year in computer fees, from \$140 to \$150. The University estimates that the additional fee would generate approximately \$120,000 additional revenues for the 2003-04 academic year.

UNI reported that computer fees are used for any technology-related expenditure that will directly benefit students. Students are expected to use e-mail and the Internet. Faculty increasingly use multimedia to enhance their teaching and provide discipline-specific computer experiences for students.

A portion of the computer fee funds proposals developed by numerous sectors of the University. Campus technology advisory committees and student computer advisory committees review the proposals and provide input. Funding awards are made on a competitive basis.

Historically, these funds have been used for expansion of discipline specific computer support including laboratories, multimedia, presentation classrooms, and demonstration stations for students and faculty. The fee is also used to replace obsolete computer equipment in student labs, to support interdisciplinary curriculum development, expand networking for access to existing software resources, create student ID cards, and improve the library access system.

Health

The University proposes a \$4 (3.6%) increase in its student health fee. The increase would result in new income of \$14,700 for the 2003-04 academic year. The fee enables the health system to respond to individual and public health needs and provide counseling, disability, and health promotion services for students.

New Health Facility

The University proposes a new health facility fee of \$26 to finance a building project to repair, renovate, and add space to the current Student Health Center.

The Center was built in 1961 to serve a student population, which is approximately one-third of the current number of students on UNI's campus. The space in the facility is inadequate to appropriately serve the students, and the facility needs major repairs.

The improvements will improve access to services, improve patient privacy and confidentiality, provide space for coordinated health, counseling, and wellness services, as well as provide a more efficient and aesthetically welcoming and comfortable physical environment.

The University reports that the project has been presented to the Student Health Advisory Committee and the Northern Iowa Student Government, and that consultation with student leaders will continue.

Student Services

The University proposes to increase its mandatory Student Services fee by \$18 per year (10.7%). This fee is expected to generate \$227,500.

A \$10 increase for the Panther Pass will go to the Gallagher-Bluedorn Performing Arts Center. By combining this revenue stream with an allocation within the Student Activity Fee, the University reports that it can reduce student ticket prices. The Panther Pass also provides free admission to most athletic, theater, and music events at UNI.

An increase of \$8 is proposed for the Intercollegiate Athletics to support athletic operational expenditures per request of the students.

Student Support

The University has not indicated whether student government supports these increases.

New Building Fee

The University completed implementation of its multi-year plan for redirecting designated tuition toward mandatory fees. The University's only remaining designated tuition is a \$90.30 building allocation. The Board Office proposes to redirect this to a mandatory fee – as a new \$90 building fee.

The Board Office is also recommending the building amount (\$90) in the current Student Services mandatory fee be eliminated from the Student Services fee and combined with the above new building fee for a total building fee of \$180.

Additional Mandatory Fee Proposals

Currently, there is a mix of mandatory fees and designated-tuition fees on a per-student basis to provide funding for specific needs of students. In certain cases, a particular student need is funded from both sources. This is often confusing. The mechanism for charging student fees needs to be simplified.

Designated fees are carve-outs from tuition. Several years ago, the Board embarked on a fundamental change in redirecting designated tuition toward mandatory fees so that the Board-approved tuition can be directed for academic purposes.

Each of the universities implemented certain redirections of designated tuition. Iowa State University has not yet finished its multi-year implementation of redirections, which is scheduled to be completed during the 2004-05 academic year.

Recommendations

The Board Office recommends, in addition to the universities' proposed changes for the 2003-04 academic year for mandatory fees, that the Board:

- Eliminate all fees from tuition revenues (designated tuition) over a two-year period, with all designated tuition fees to be eliminated by the 2004-05 academic year.
- Request ISU to redirect its only remaining Student Services designated-tuition fee (\$45) to mandatory fees during the 2003-04 academic year.
- Reclassify the UNI building fee portion of its Student Services mandatory fee to the proposed new mandatory building fee.

Designated Tuition

	Actual 2002-03	University Proposal 2003-04	Board Office Proposal 2003-04	University Proposal 2004-05	Board Office Proposal 2004-05
<u>SUI</u>					
Building	\$89.04	\$89.04	\$0	\$89.04	\$0
<u>ISU</u>					
Student Services	\$174.64	\$97.64	\$55.64	\$42.00	\$0
Building	\$75.22	\$75.22	\$0	\$75.22	\$0
<u>UNI</u>					
Student Activities	\$76.90	\$76.90	\$76.90	\$76.90	\$0
Building	\$90.30	\$90.30	\$0	\$0	\$0

New Mandatory Fee

	Actual 2002-03	University Proposal 2003-04	Board Office Proposal 2003-04	University Proposal 2004-05	Board Office Proposal 2004-05*
<u>SUI</u>					
Building	\$0	\$29	\$119	\$29	\$119
<u>ISU</u>					
Student Services	\$35	\$117	\$159	\$173	\$215
Building	\$0	\$30	\$106	\$30	\$106
<u>UNI</u>					
Student Activities	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$77
Student Services		\$192	\$102	\$192	\$102
Building	\$0	\$0	\$180	\$0	\$180

^{*}Only shows affected mandatory fees net of inflationary adjustments.

SURCHARGES

Background

Tuition surcharges represent earmarked amounts for specific colleges and purposes. Students enrolled in specific colleges pay the surcharge in addition to the university's base tuition and receive the benefits of additional resources. Base tuition and base tuition increases are not earmarked for special academic units but are part of the overall general university fund budgeting process.

The following table represents the proposed surcharges:

University of Iowa Incremental Surcharges 2003-04 Academic Year

	Resident	Nonresident
College of Business – Master of Accountancy	\$1,065	\$1,065
College of Law	250	250
College of Nursing		
Masters for Clinical Leadership (MSN)	2,700	2,700
Professional Masters in Nursing & Health Care Practice	1,350	1,350
(formerly known as Masters in Care Management)		
College of Public Health – Master of Health Administration	1,000	1,000

On the following pages, each of the surcharge proposals includes identification of the surcharge, the related tuition and mandatory fee amounts, and details on the planned uses of the new surcharge revenues. The universities will set aside student financial aid dollars in the same percentage as tuition.

University of Iowa Henry B. Tippie College of Business – Master of Accountancy

Proposal

The University of Iowa is proposing the third of three annual tuition surcharges of \$1,065 for resident and nonresident students in the Master of Accountancy program.

The Master of Accountancy program is intended to produce graduates who are professionally prepared for a career in today's world. More than 75 firms recruit accounting students each year. The University reports that the proposed surcharge will have no effect on enrollment.

A total of 42 students are anticipated for the fall of 2003.

History		Total Surcharge
	Currently presented to the Board for consideration: • \$1,065 for students entering in the fall of 2003	\$3,195
	Previously approved by the Board:	
	 \$1,065 for students entering in the fall of 2002 	\$2,130
	 \$1,065 for students entering in the fall of 2001 	\$1,065

Program Charges

The Master of Accountancy program allows students to tailor their education by selecting one of four specialized tracks: financial / auditing; management information systems; managerial accounting; and tax accounting. Charges for the program are as follows:

	Resident			Nonresident			
	FY 2003 actual	FY 2004 proposed	Percent increase	FY 2003 actual	FY 2004 proposed	Percent increase	
Enrolled Fall 2003							
Base Tuition / Surcharge	\$6,716	\$8,431	25.5%	\$16,068	\$18,433	14.7%	
Mandatory Fees	<u>499</u>	<u>651</u>	30.5%	<u>499</u>	<u>651</u>	30.5%	
Total	\$7,215	\$9,082	25.9%	\$16,567	\$19,084	15.2%	
Enrolled Fall 2002							
Base Tuition /	***	A7 000	0.70/	# 40.000	4.7.000	0.40/	
Surcharge	\$6,716	\$7,366	9.7%	\$16,068	\$17,368	8.1%	
Mandatory Fees	<u>499</u>	<u>651</u>	30.5%	<u>499</u>	<u>651</u>	30.5%	
Total	\$7,215	\$8,017	11.1%	\$16,567	\$18,019	8.8%	

Surcharges will be applied based on enrollment date.

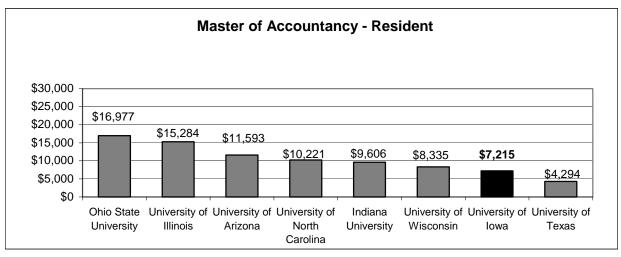
Uses of New Surcharges

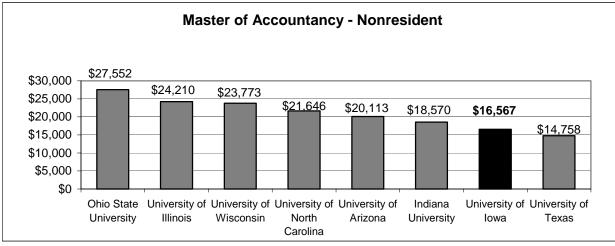
The University reports that it plans to utilize the new \$44,730 in revenues generated from the proposed surcharge in the following ways:

Amount	Expenditure Category	Descriptions
\$26,413	Faculty Support	Funds will be used to recruit and retain the faculty, including adjunct instructors and practitioners.
\$7,157	Student Financial Aid (16%)	Aid will be based on merit and need.
\$4,661	Program Support	Funds will be used to recruit students, provide student orientation, and for professional development opportunities.
\$6,499	Technology Maintenance and Development	Funds will provide continued support for software, computer upgrades, and for online financial information systems.
\$44,730		

Peer Comparisons 2002-03 Data

Resident and nonresident tuition and fees for the Master of Accountancy program at the University of Iowa are among the Iowest in its peer group and are significantly less than the average costs of the School's peer institutions, which are \$10,901 and \$21,517, respectively.





Peer comparison information was provided by the University of Iowa.

University of Iowa - College of Law

Proposal

The University of Iowa proposes a tuition surcharge of \$250 for all resident and nonresident students entering the College of Law in the fall of 2003. The University anticipates a total of 712 students.

The average surcharge over the previous nine years is \$306 for residents and \$476 for nonresidents.

History

Entering Fall of:	<u>1994</u>	<u>1995</u>	<u>1996</u>	<u>1997</u>	<u>1998</u>	<u>1999</u>	2000	<u>2001</u>	2002
Resident	350	350	350	350	300	300	300	200	250
Nonresident	500	735	500	500	500	500	500	300	250

Program Charges

The College of Law is a three-year academic program. Law school policy does not allow for less than full-time attendance. Charges for the program are as follows:

	<u>Resident</u>			<u>Nonresident</u>			
	FY 2003 actual	FY 2004 proposed	Percent increase	FY 2003 actual	FY 2004 proposed	Percent increase	
Base Tuition /							
Surcharge	\$9,910	\$10,810	9.1%	\$23,668	\$24,568	3.8%	
Mandatory Fees	<u>599</u>	<u>793</u>	32.4%	<u>599</u>	<u>793</u>	32.4%	
Total	\$10,509	\$11,603	10.4%	\$24,267	\$25,361	4.5%	

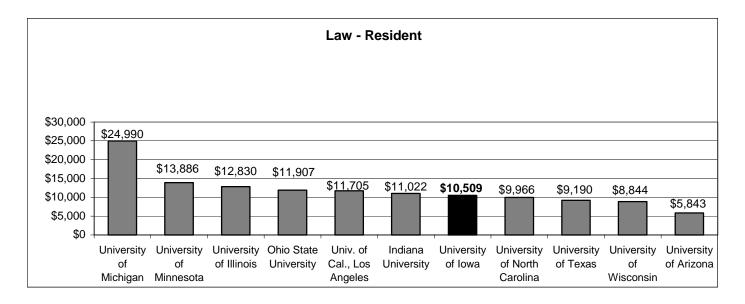
Uses of New Surcharges

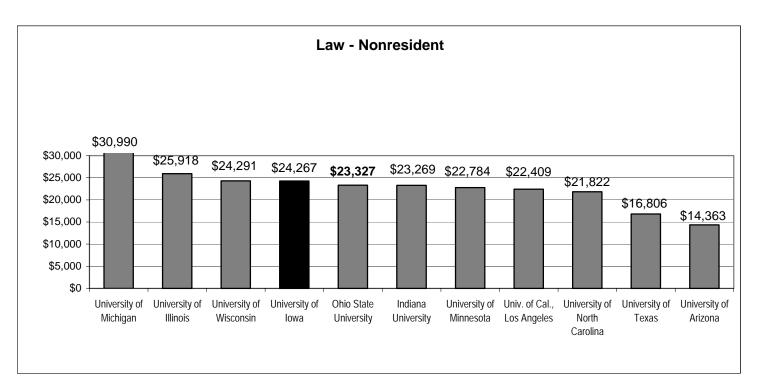
The University reports that it plans to utilize the new \$178,000 in revenues generated from the proposed surcharge in the following ways:

Amount	Expenditure Category	Descriptions
\$65,000	Student Research Assistants	Funds will provide support for research assistants to supervise programs, provide leadership training, and assistance to the faculty in scholarly research.
\$34,520	Secretarial Support for Student Organizations	Funds will support an additional secretary.
\$28,480	Student Financial Aid (16%)	Aid will be based on merit and need.
\$25,000	Student Activity Fund	Funds will cover administrative costs associated with maintaining 22 active co-curricular and professional student organizations. It will support travel to competitions, conferences, and meetings with students from other schools.
\$25,000	Writing Resource Center Graduate Instructor	Funds will cover an instructor to provide individualized instruction to law students.
\$178,000		

Peer Comparisons 2002-03 Data Resident tuition and fees in the Law program at the University of Iowa rank in the bottom half of the institutions in the University's peer group and are less than the average of \$12,018.

Nonresident tuition and fees at the University of Iowa rank close to the middle of the peer group and are just over the average cost of \$22,598.





Peer comparison information was provided by the University of Iowa.

University of Iowa College of Nursing – Professional Masters in Nursing and Healthcare Practice

Proposal

The University of Iowa is proposing the second of two annual surcharges of \$1,350 for resident and nonresident students enrolled in the Professional Masters in Nursing and Healthcare Practice program (formerly known as the Masters Degree in Care Management) during calendar year 2004.

The College anticipates that 32 students will be in the class that begins in January 2004. The program runs on a calendar year basis.

History

Total Surcharge
\$2,700
\$1,350

Program Charges

The Professional Masters in Nursing and Healthcare Practice is four semesters long. The fourth semester is a paid internship. Charges for the program are as follows:

	<u>Resident</u>			<u>Nonresident</u>			
	FY 2003 actual	FY 2004 proposed	Percent increase	FY 2003 actual	FY 2004 proposed	Percent increase	
Base Tuition / Surcharge Mandatory Fees Total	\$5,738 499 \$6,237	\$7,738 <u>651</u> \$8,389	34.9% 30.5% 34.5%	\$15,122 499 \$15,621	\$17,772 <u>651</u> \$18,423	17.5% 30.5% 17.9%	

Uses of New Surcharges

The University reports that it plans to utilize the \$86,400 in revenues generated from the proposed surcharge in the following ways:

Amount	Expenditure Category	Descriptions
\$48,576	Faculty and Teaching Assistant Salary Support	Funds will be used to add new faculty and for graduate teaching assistants.
\$24,000	Program Support	Funds will be used to hire one person to operate the program, provide student support, and for small general expenses.
\$13,824	Student Financial Aid (16%)	Aid will be based on merit and need.
\$86,400		

Peer Comparisons 2002-03 Data

The University reports that since the Masters in Nursing and Healthcare Practice is unique and none of its peer institutions currently offers such a degree program, no tuition fee comparisons are presented.

University of Iowa - College of Nursing - Masters for Clinical Leadership

Proposal

The University of Iowa is proposing a per semester tuition surcharge of \$1,350 for resident and nonresident students enrolled in the Masters for Clinical Leadership program (basic Master of Science in Nursing) during the FY 2003-04 academic year.

The University reports that nurses are willing to pay the fees since they are able to remain employed while enrolled in the program. A total of 30 students are anticipated for the FY 2003-04 academic year.

History

Total Surcharge

Currently presented to the Board for consideration:

• \$2,700 per year (\$1,350 per semester) proposed for students entering in the fall of 2003.

\$2,700

Program Charges

FY 2004 is the first year for this program. The program is 33 semester hours and is a redesign and reorganization of the former basic Master of Science in Nursing program. No new courses are required. Charges for the program are as follows:

		Resident		<u>Nonresident</u>			
	FY 2003 actual	FY 2004 proposed	Percent increase	FY 2003 actual	FY 2004 proposed	Percent increase	
Base Tuition /							
Surcharge	\$4,388	\$7,738	76.3%	\$13,772	\$17,772	29.0%	
Mandatory Fees	<u>499</u>	<u>651</u>	30.5%	<u>499</u>	<u>651</u>	30.5%	
Total	\$4,887	\$8,389	71.7%	\$14,271	\$18,423	29.1%	

Uses of New Surcharges

The University reports that it plans to utilize the \$81,000 in revenues generated from the proposed surcharge in the following ways:

Amount	Expenditure Category	Descriptions
\$39,040	Faculty Salaries/Support	Funds will provide for additional faculty.
\$22,660	Administrative Staff Support	Funds will provide for staff to administer the program.
\$13,600	Student Texts/Materials	Funds will cover instructional materials.
\$4,500	Student Fees (Computer and Student Activities)	Funds will provide for reimbursement to the University for services.
\$1,200	Operating Costs	Funds will provide for travel and promotional expenses.
\$81,000		

Peer Comparisons 2002-03 Data The University reports that since the Masters for Clinical Leadership is unique and none of its peer institutions currently offers such a degree program, no tuition fee comparisons are presented.

University of Iowa – College of Public Health – Master of Health Administration

Proposal

The University of Iowa is proposing the second of three annual tuition surcharges of \$1,000 for resident and nonresident students in the Master of Health Administration program.

The University reports that it remains competitive in price with its peer institutions. A total of 15 students are anticipated for the fall of 2003.

History

	Total Surcharge
Currently presented to the Board for consideration: • \$1,000 for students entering in the fall of 2003	\$2,000
Previously approved by the Board:	
 \$1,000 for students entering in the fall of 2002 	\$1,000

Program Charges

The Master of Health Administration requires a total of 60 semester hours of graduate credit (generally 21 months of full-time study) to complete the program. Charges for the program are as follows:

		Resident		<u>Nonresident</u>			
	FY 2003 actual	FY 2004 proposed	Percent increase	FY 2003 actual	FY 2004 proposed	Percent increase	
Enrolled Fall 2003							
Base Tuition / Surcharge	\$5,388	\$7,038	30.6%	\$14,772	\$17,072	15.6%	
Mandatory Fees	<u>499</u>	<u>651</u>	30.5%	<u>499</u>	<u>651</u>	30.5%	
Total	\$5,887	\$7,689	30.6%	\$15,271	\$17,723	16.1%	
Enrolled Fall 2002							
Base Tuition /							
Surcharge	\$5,388	\$6,038	12.1%	\$14,772	\$16,072	29.1%	
Mandatory Fees	<u>499</u>	<u>651</u>	30.5%	<u>499</u>	<u>651</u>	30.5%	
Total	\$5,887	\$6,689	13.6%	\$15,271	\$16,723	9.5%	

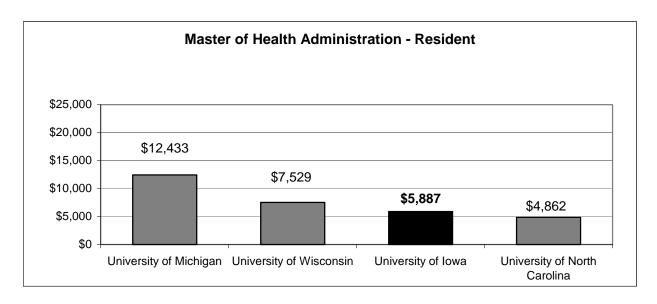
Surcharges will be applied based on enrollment date.

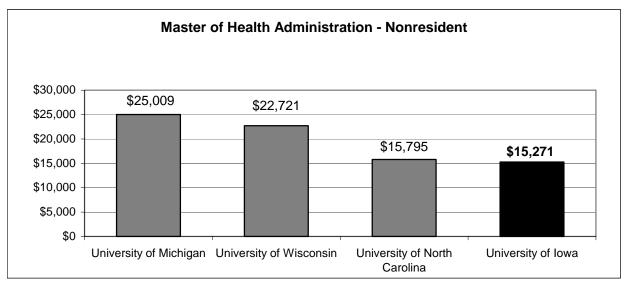
Uses of New Surcharges

The University reports that it plans to utilize the new \$15,000 in revenues generated from the proposed surcharge in the following ways:

Amount	Expenditure Category	Descriptions
\$6,000	Instructional design, & course delivery	Funds will be used for curriculum enhancement and computer-based course design and instruction.
\$3,000	Professional development	Funds will be used to support student trips and conferences.
\$2,850	Recruitment and student support	Funds will be used for student recruitment activities.
\$2,400	Student Financial Aid (16%)	Aid will be based on merit and need.
\$750	Program accreditation	Funds will support program accreditation.
\$15,000		

Peer Comparisons 2002-03 Data Resident tuition and fees in the Master of Health Administration program at the University of Iowa rank in the Iower half of the institutions in the University's peer group and are less than the average of \$8,275. Nonresident tuition and fees are the lowest and are less than the average of \$21,175.





Peer comparison information was provided by the University of Iowa.

TUITION-RELATED MISCELLANEOUS FEES

Requirement

The Regent <u>Policy Manual</u> specifies that the Board has authority over all institutional or college wide fees over \$1 per semester and all department fees over \$10 per semester. Review and approval of miscellaneous fees and charges is consistent with the Board's strategic plan to provide effective stewardship of institutional resources while advocating for resources needed to provide access to educational, research, and service opportunities.

Types of

Miscellaneous Fees

Miscellaneous fees and charges include both tuition-related and non-tuition-related charges. In each category, students pay only the miscellaneous fees and charges that apply to them; these charges vary depending on each student's program, needs, and interests.

Tuition-Related

Tuition-related fees include items such as continuing education courses and workshops. These fees are adjusted commensurate with the increase in tuition.

Non-Tuition-Related

Non-tuition-related fees include a variety of items such as course delivery fees and private music lessons and are presented to the Board in the March/April timeframe at the same time as room and board charges are discussed.

TUITION-RELATED FEES AND MISCELLANEOUS CHARGES ACTUAL FY 2003 and PROPOSED FY 2004

	University of Iowa			Iowa State University			University of Northern I		ern Iowa
			%			%			%
Tuition-Related Fees and Miscellaneous Charges	FY 2003	FY 2004	Change	FY 2003	FY 2004	Change	FY 2003	FY 2004	Change
Correspondence Study (per semester hour)	\$118	\$140	18.6%				\$118	\$140	18.6%
Extension Courses/Continuing Education (per credit)									
Undergraduate	\$154	\$181	17.5%	\$154	\$181	17.5%	\$154	\$181	17.5%
Graduate	\$244	\$280	14.8%	\$244	\$280	14.8%	\$244	\$280	14.8%
Hospital Certificate Technology Programs (per year) Lakeside Lab (5 weeks)	\$587	\$692	17.9%						
Undergraduate (per credit)	\$154	\$181	17.5%	\$154	\$181	17.5%	\$154	\$181	17.5%
Graduate (per credit)	\$244	\$280	14.8%	\$244	\$280	14.8%	\$244	\$280	14.8%
Law Special 10-Week Summer Session									
Resident	\$3,306	\$3,608	9.1%						
Nonresident	\$7,887	\$8,188	3.8%						
Open Credit (per project)							\$309	\$364	17.8%
Workshops/Telecourses (per semester hour)									
Undergraduate	\$154	\$181	17.5%	\$154	\$181	17.5%	\$154	\$181	17.5%
Graduate	\$244	\$280	14.8%	\$244	\$280	14.8%	\$244	\$280	14.8%

PART-TIME TUITION AND FEES

Board policy on part-time tuition complements policy on classification of residents and nonresidents for tuition and fee purposes. Board policy on part-time tuition rates directs that residents and nonresidents be charged the same tuition for 0-4 credit hours (Regent Policy Manual §8.02A).

A flat rate is charged to students taking 0-2 credit hours, with charges for 3 and 4 credits progressively higher but remaining the same for resident and nonresident students. Resident and nonresident rates are different for 5 through 12 credit hours, with the rate differential based on full-time tuition rates.

The intent of the policy is to encourage enrollment at the Regent universities on a part-time basis for individuals new to lowa while they establish lowa residency. Nonresidents in states bordering lowa are encouraged to take Regent courses at the cooperative, graduate study centers, which are located in the Quad Cities, Sioux City, and Council Bluffs.

The proposed 2003-04 part-time tuition rates for resident and nonresident undergraduate and graduate courses at the three universities are presented in Table 2 and are consistent with the recommended tuition rates.

The mandatory fees for part-time students are assessed differently among the universities.

Resident Undergraduate Per Hour Rates

	SUI				ISU		UNI			
	Mand.			Mand.			Mand.			
	<u>Tuition</u>	<u>Fees</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Tuition</u>	<u>Fees</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Tuition</u>	<u>Fees</u>	<u>Total</u>	
12+ hours	\$2,171.00	\$325.50	\$2,496.50	\$2,171.00	\$343.00	\$2,514.00	\$2,171.00	\$287.00	\$2,458.00	
11 hours	1,991.00	265.75	2,256.75	1,991.00	279.50	2,270.50	1,991.00	229.75	2,220.75	
10 hours	1,810.00	265.75	2,075.75	1,810.00	279.50	2,089.50	1,810.00	229.75	2,039.75	
9 hours	1,629.00	265.75	1,894.75	1,629.00	279.50	1,908.50	1,629.00	229.75	1,858.75	
8 hours	1,448.00	265.75	1,713.75	1,448.00	279.50	1,727.50	1,448.00	172.50	1,620.50	
7 hours	1,267.00	265.75	1,532.75	1,267.00	279.50	1,546.50	1,267.00	172.50	1,439.50	
6 hours	1,086.00	265.75	1,351.75	1,086.00	279.50	1,365.50	1,086.00	172.50	1,258.50	
5 hours	905.00	205.00	1,110.00	905.00	203.75	1,108.75	905.00	115.25	1,020.25	
4 hours	724.00	120.50	844.50	724.00	123.75	847.75	724.00	57.25	781.25	
3 hours	543.00	120.50	663.50	543.00	123.75	666.75	543.00	57.25	600.25	
0-2 hours	362.00	120.50	482.50	362.00	123.75	485.75	362.00	57.25	419.25	

University of Iowa

Student health and health facility fees are assessed for students taking 5 or more hours per semester. These fees are not assessed for students taking less than 5 hours per semester. The proposed mandatory fees would be assessed as indicated in the following tables. The allocation of computer fees for students in Business, Law, Engineering, and Medicine, would be similar to those below. For summer school, mandatory fees will be assessed at 50% of the fulltime semester rate.

University of Iowa 2003-04 Proposed Mandatory Fees

Undergraduate

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	Basic		Health	Student	Student	Student	New Building	
	Computer	Health	Facility	Activities	Services	Union	Fee	Total
Annual	188.00	159.00	10.00	39.00	51.00	85.00	119.00	651.00
Semester	94.00	79.50	5.00	19.50	25.50	42.50	59.50	325.50
12+ hours	94.00	79.50	5.00	19.50	25.50	42.50	59.50	325.50
11 hours	70.50	79.50	5.00	14.75	19.25	32.00	44.75	265.75
10 hours	70.50	79.50	5.00	14.75	19.25	32.00	44.75	265.75
9 hours	70.50	79.50	5.00	14.75	19.25	32.00	44.75	265.75
8 hours	70.50	79.50	5.00	14.75	19.25	32.00	44.75	265.75
7 hours	70.50	79.50	5.00	14.75	19.25	32.00	44.75	265.75
6 hours	70.50	79.50	5.00	14.75	19.25	32.00	44.75	265.75
5 hours	47.00	79.50	5.00	9.75	12.75	21.25	29.75	205.00
4 hours	47.00	-	-	9.75	12.75	21.25	29.75	120.50
3 hours	47.00	-	-	9.75	12.75	21.25	29.75	120.50
0-2 hours	47.00	-	-	9.75	12.75	21.25	29.75	120.50

University of Iowa 2003-04 Proposed Mandatory Fees

	Graduate									
							New			
	Basic		Health	Student	Student	Student	Building			
	Computer	Health	Facility	Activities	Services	Union	Fee	Total		
Annual	188.00	159.00	10.00	39.00	51.00	85.00	119.00	651.00		
Semester	94.00	79.50	5.00	19.50	25.50	42.50	59.50	325.50		
9+ hours	94.00	79.50	5.00	19.50	25.50	42.50	59.50	325.50		
8 hours	70.50	79.50	5.00	14.75	19.25	32.00	44.75	265.75		
7 hours	70.50	79.50	5.00	14.75	19.25	32.00	44.75	265.75		
6 hours	70.50	79.50	5.00	14.75	19.25	32.00	44.75	265.75		
5 hours	70.50	79.50	5.00	14.75	19.25	32.00	44.75	265.75		
4 hours	70.50	-	-	14.75	19.25	32.00	44.75	181.25		
3 hours	47.00	-	-	9.75	12.75	21.25	29.75	120.50		
0-2 hours	47.00	-	-	9.75	12.75	21.25	29.75	120.50		

Iowa State University

Student health fees are assessed for students taking 5 or more hours per semester. These fees are not assessed for students taking less than 4.5 hours per semester. The proposed mandatory fees would be assessed as indicated in the following table. The allocation of computer fees for students in engineering, computer science, and management information systems will be similar to those below. For summer school students, mandatory fees will be assessed at the fall/spring per credit rate with the exception that the maximum assessment for the summer is half of the fall/spring maximum rate.

The University has previously charged the computer fee on a per credit basis. They are proposing to assess the computer fee on a range-based allocation, similar to both the University of Iowa and the University of Northern Iowa. The proposed range would be 50% of the full time fee for students taking 5 hours or less and 75% of the fee for students taking 6 to 11 credit hours.

Iowa State University 2003-04 Proposed Mandatory Fees

	Undergraduate										
	New										
	Basic		Health	Student	Student	Building					
	Computer	Health	Facility	Activities	Services	Fee	Total				
Annual	188.00	160.00	16.00	57.00	159.00	106.00	686.00				
Semester	94.00	80.00	8.00	28.50	79.50	53.00	343.00				
12+ hours	94.00	80.00	8.00	28.50	79.50	53.00	343.00				
11 hours	70.50	80.00	8.00	21.50	59.75	39.75	279.50				
10 hours	70.50	80.00	8.00	21.50	59.75	39.75	279.50				
9 hours	70.50	80.00	8.00	21.50	59.75	39.75	279.50				
8 hours	70.50	80.00	8.00	21.50	59.75	39.75	279.50				
7 hours	70.50	80.00	8.00	21.50	59.75	39.75	279.50				
6 hours	70.50	80.00	8.00	21.50	59.75	39.75	279.50				
5 hours	35.25	80.00	8.00	14.25	39.75	26.50	203.75				
4 hours	35.25	-	8.00	14.25	39.75	26.50	123.75				
3 hours	35.25	-	8.00	14.25	39.75	26.50	123.75				
0-2 hours	35.25	-	8.00	14.25	39.75	26.50	123.75				

Iowa State University 2003-04 Proposed Mandatory Fees

	Graduate									
New										
	Basic		Health	Student	Student	Building				
	Computer	Health	Facility	Activities	Services	Fee	Total			
Annual	150.00	160.00	16.00	57.00	159.00	106.00	648.00			
Semester	75.00	80.00	8.00	28.50	79.50	53.00	324.00			
9+ hours	75.00	80.00	8.00	28.50	79.50	53.00	324.00			
8 hours	56.25	80.00	8.00	21.50	59.75	39.75	265.25			
7 hours	56.25	80.00	8.00	21.50	59.75	39.75	265.25			
6 hours	56.25	80.00	8.00	21.50	59.75	39.75	265.25			
5 hours	56.25	80.00	8.00	21.50	59.75	39.75	265.25			
4 hours	37.50	-	8.00	14.25	39.75	26.50	126.00			
3 hours	37.50	-	8.00	14.25	39.75	26.50	126.00			
0-2 hours	37.50	-	8.00	14.25	39.75	26.50	126.00			

University of Northern Iowa

The student health fees are assessed to all students taking 5 or more hours per semester. The other mandatory fees are assessed as indicated in the following table. For summer school students, the University is proposing to modify it assessment of mandatory fees. Since the summer session is now three fourths of the length of the regular semester, the University is proposing to gradually move the amount assessed for summer fees to three fourths of the semester rates. For the 2003-04 academic year, the University is proposing to allocate 60% of the semester fees for summer school students.

University of Northern Iowa 2003-04 Proposed Mandatory Fees

		Un	dergradua	te		
	Basic Computer	Health	Health Facility	Student Services	New Building Fee	Total
Annual	150.00	116.00	26.00	102.00	180.00	574.00
Semester	75.00	58.00	13.00	51.00	90.00	287.00
12+ hours	75.00	58.00	13.00	51.00	90.00	287.00
11 hours	56.25	58.00	9.75	38.25	67.50	229.75
10 hours	56.25	58.00	9.75	38.25	67.50	229.75
9 hours	56.25	58.00	9.75	38.25	67.50	229.75
8 hours	37.50	58.00	6.50	25.50	45.00	172.50
7 hours	37.50	58.00	6.50	25.50	45.00	172.50
6 hours	37.50	58.00	6.50	25.50	45.00	172.50
5 hours	18.75	58.00	3.25	12.75	22.50	115.25
4 hours	18.75	-	3.25	12.75	22.50	57.25
3 hours	18.75	-	3.25	12.75	22.50	57.25
0-2 hours	18.75	-	3.25	12.75	22.50	57.25

University of Northern Iowa 2003-04 Proposed Mandatory Fees

	Craduata											
		G	raduate									
					New							
	Basic		Health	Student	Building							
	Computer	Health	Facility	Services	Fee	Total						
Annual	150.00	116.00	26.00	102.00	180.00	574.00						
Semester	75.00	58.00	13.00	51.00	90.00	287.00						
9+ hours	75.00	58.00	13.00	51.00	90.00	287.00						
8 hours	56.25	58.00	9.75	38.25	67.50	229.75						
7 hours	56.25	58.00	9.75	38.25	67.50	229.75						
6 hours	37.50	58.00	6.50	25.50	45.00	172.50						
5 hours	37.50	58.00	6.50	25.50	45.00	172.50						
4 hours	18.75	-	3.25	12.75	22.50	57.25						
3 hours	18.75	-	3.25	12.75	22.50	57.25						
0-2 hours	18.75	-	3.25	12.75	22.50	57.25						

	-						Semester	Hours				
	-	0-2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
UNIVERSITY OF IOWA												
Undergraduate: Resident Nonresident	181 610	\$362 \$362	\$543 \$543	\$724 \$724	\$905 \$3,050	\$1,086 \$3,660	\$1,267 \$4,270	\$1,448 \$4,880	\$1,629 \$5,490	\$1,810 \$6,100	\$1,991 \$6,710	\$2,171 \$7,317
Graduate: Resident Nonresident	280 838	\$560 \$560	\$840 \$840	\$1,120 \$1,120	\$1,400 \$4,190	\$1,680 \$5,028	\$1,960 \$5,866	\$2,240 \$6,704	\$2,519 \$7,536			
Graduate Physical Therapy (enrolled fall 2001) Resident Nonresident	369 924	\$738 \$738	\$1,107 \$1,107	\$1,476 \$1,476	\$1,845 \$4,620	\$2,214 \$5,544	\$2,583 \$6,468	\$2,952 \$7,392	\$3,319 \$8,316			
Graduate Physical Therapy (enrolled fall 2002 & 200 Resident Nonresident	93) 444 999	\$888 \$888	\$1,332 \$1,332	\$1,776 \$1,776	\$2,220 \$4,995	\$2,664 \$5,994	\$3,108 \$6,993	\$3,552 \$7,992	\$3,994 \$8,991			
MBA (enrolled fall 2001) Resident Nonresident		\$1,000 \$1,000	\$1,500 \$1,500	\$2,000 \$2,000	\$2,500 \$4,805	\$3,000 \$5,766	\$3,500 \$6,727	\$4,000 \$7,688	\$4,493 \$8,649			
MBA (enrolled fall 2002 & 2003) Resident Nonresident		\$1,118 \$1,118	\$1,677 \$1,677	\$2,236 \$2,236	\$2,795 \$5,105	\$3,354 \$6,126	\$3,913 \$7,147	\$4,472 \$8,168	\$5,025 \$9,181			
Master of Accountancy (enrolled fall 2002) Resident Nonresident	410 965	\$820 \$820	\$1,230 \$1,230	\$1,640 \$1,640	\$2,050 \$4,825	\$2,460 \$5,790	\$2,870 \$6,755	\$3,280 \$7,720	\$3,683 \$8,684			
Master of Accountancy (enrolled fall 2003) Resident Nonresident	469 1025	\$938 \$938	\$1,407 \$1,407	\$1,876 \$1,876	\$2,345 \$5,125	\$2,814 \$6,150	\$3,283 \$7,175	\$3,752 \$8,200	\$4,216 \$9,217			
Master of Info System Resident Nonresident	410 965	\$820 \$820	\$1,230 \$1,230	\$1,640 \$1,640	\$2,050 \$4,825	\$2,460 \$5,790	\$2,870 \$6,755	\$3,280 \$7,720	\$3,683 \$8,684			
Master of Health Administration (enrolled fall 2002) Resident Nonresident	336 893	\$672 \$672	\$1,008 \$1,008	\$1,344 \$1,344	\$1,680 \$4,465	\$2,016 \$5,358	\$2,352 \$6,251	\$2,688 \$7,144	\$3,019 \$8,036			
Master of Health Administration (enrolled fall 2003) Resident Nonresident	391 949	\$782 \$782	\$1,173 \$1,173	\$1,564 \$1,564	\$1,955 \$4,745	\$2,346 \$5,694	\$2,737 \$6,643	\$3,128 \$7,592	\$3,519 \$8,536			

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						Semester	Hours				
	0-2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
UNIVERSITY OF IOWA (continued)											
Master of Nursing and Healthcare Practice											
Resident 430 Nonresident 988	\$860 \$860	\$1,290 \$1,290	\$1,720 \$1,720	\$2,150 \$4,940	\$2,580 \$5,928	\$3,010 \$6,916	\$3,440 \$7,904	\$3,869 \$8,886			
Master of Science - Nursing (NEW Clinical Leadership)		. ,	, ,	, ,	, ,	. ,	, ,	, ,			
Resident 430 Nonresident 988	\$860 \$860	\$1,290 \$1,290	\$1,720 \$1,720	\$2,150 \$4,940	\$2,580 \$5,928	\$3,010 \$6,916	\$3,440 \$7,904	\$3,869 \$8,886			
Master of Public Health											
Resident 336 Nonresident 893	\$672 \$672	\$1,008 \$1,008	\$1,344 \$1,344	\$1,680 \$4,465	\$2,016 \$5,358	\$2,352 \$6,251	\$2,688 \$7,144	\$3,019 \$8,036			
Dentistry (enrolled fall 2000 & 2001)											
	\$1,078 \$1,078	\$1,617 \$1,617	\$2,156 \$2,156	\$2,695 \$5,815	\$3,234 \$6,978	\$3,773 \$8,141	\$4,312 \$9,304	\$4,851 \$10,467	\$5,390 \$11,630	\$5,929 \$12,793	\$6,467 \$13,950
Dentistry (enrolled fall 2002 & 2003)	, ,	, ,	. ,	, ,	, ,	. ,	, ,	, ,	, ,		. ,
	\$1,328 \$1,328	\$1,992 \$1,992	\$2,656 \$2,656	\$3,320 \$6,440	\$3,984 \$7,728	\$4,648 \$9,016	\$5,312 \$10,304	\$5,976 \$11,592	\$6,640 \$12,880	\$7,304 \$14,168	\$7,967 \$15,450
Law:											
Resident 451 Nonresident 1024	\$902 \$902	\$1,353 \$1,353	\$1,804 \$1,804	\$2,255 \$5,120	\$2,706 \$6,144	\$3,157 \$7,168	\$3,608 \$8,192	\$4,059 \$9,216	\$4,510 \$10,240	\$4,961 \$11,264	\$5,405 \$12,284
Medicine (enrolled prior to fall 2001)											
	\$1,142 \$1,142	\$1,713 \$1,713	\$2,284 \$2,284	\$2,855 \$6,700	\$3,426 \$8,040	\$3,997 \$9,380	\$4,568 \$10,720	\$5,139 \$12,060	\$5,710 \$13,400	\$6,281 \$14,740	\$6,845 \$16,079
Medicine (enrolled fall 2002 & 2003)											
	\$1,488 \$1,488	\$2,232 \$2,232	\$2,976 \$2,976	\$3,720 \$7,565	\$4,464 \$9,078	\$5,208 \$10,591	\$5,952 \$12,104	\$6,696 \$13,617	\$7,440 \$15,130	\$8,184 \$16,643	\$8,919 \$18,153
Pharm.D (enrolled prior to fall 2001)	ψ1,400	ΨΖ,Ζ3Ζ	Ψ2,970	Ψ1,505	ψ9,070	ψ10,591	ψ12,10 4	ψ15,017	ψ13,130	ψ10,043	ψ10,133
Resident 322	\$644	\$966	\$1,288	\$1,610	\$1,932	\$2,254	\$2,576	\$2,898	\$3,220	\$3,542	\$3,862
Nonresident 916	\$644	\$966	\$1,288	\$4,580	\$5,496	\$6,412	\$7,328	\$8,244	\$9,160	\$10,076	\$10,984
Pharm. D (enrolled fall 2002 & 2003) Resident 470	\$940	\$1,410	\$1,880	\$2,350	\$2,820	\$3,290	\$3,760	\$4,230	\$4,700	\$5,170	\$5,639
Nonresident 1060	\$940	\$1,410	\$1,880	\$5,300	\$6,360	\$7,420	\$8,480	\$9,540	\$10,600	\$11,660	\$12,716

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						Semester	Hours				
	0-2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
IOWA STATE UNIVERSITY*											
Undergraduate:											
Resident 181	\$362	\$543	\$724	\$905	\$1,086	\$1,267	\$1,448	\$1,629	\$1,810	\$1,991	\$2,171
Nonresident 571	\$362	\$543	\$724	\$2,855	\$3,426	\$3,997	\$4,568	\$5,139	\$5,710	\$6,281	\$6,842
Graduate:											
Resident 280	\$560	\$840	\$1,120	\$1,400	\$1,680	\$1,960	\$2,240	\$2,519			
Nonresident 790	\$560	\$840	\$1,120	\$3,950	\$4,740	\$5,530	\$6,320	\$7,107			
Veterinary Medicine (enrolled prior to fall 2002)											
Resident 379	\$758	\$1,137	\$1,516	\$1,895	\$2,274	\$2,653	\$3,032	\$3,411	\$3,790	\$4,169	\$4,538
Nonresident 1011	\$758	\$1,137	\$1,516	\$5,055	\$6,066	\$7,077	\$8,088	\$9,099	\$10,110	\$11,121	\$12,131
Veterinery Medicine											
Veterinary Medicine Resident 411	\$822	\$1,233	\$1,644	\$2,055	\$2,466	\$2,877	\$3,288	\$3,699	\$4,110	\$4,521	\$4,925
Nonresident 1099		\$1,233	\$1,644	\$5,495	\$6,594	\$7,693	\$8,792	\$9,891	\$10,990	\$12,089	\$13,181
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* 0 Credit CoursesISU will assess based on contact hour R Credit CoursesISU will assess at the minimum fee if t				nt equal to	3 credit h	ours.					
UNIVERSITY OF NORTHERN IOWA											
Undergraduate:											
Resident 181	\$362	\$543	\$724	\$905	\$1,086	\$1,267	\$1,448	\$1,629	\$1,810	\$1,991	\$2,171

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Graduate: Resident

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	TUITION	MANDATORY FEES									TOTALS			
											% Increase	Total Dollar		
	Base			Health	Student	Student	Student		Total	Tuition &	in Tuition &	Increase In		
	Tuition &	Computer	Health	Facility	Activities		Union	Building	Mandatory	Mandatory	Mandatory	Tuition &		
	Surcharge	Fee	Fee	Fee	Fee	Fee	Fee	Fee	Fees	Fees	Fees	Fees		
UNIVERSITY OF IOWA	Ŭ													
Undergraduate Resident	\$ 4,342	188	\$ 159	\$ 10	\$ 39	\$ 51	85	119	\$ 651	\$ 4,993	19.1%	\$ 802.00		
Undergraduate Resident - Business	4,342	420	159	10	39	51	85	119	883	5,225	18.4%	812.00		
Undergraduate Resident - Engineering	4,342	480	159	10	39	51	85	119	943	5,285	19.8%	872.00		
Undergraduate Resident - Medical	4,342	188	159	10	39	51	85	119	651	4,993	19.1%	802.00		
Undergraduate Nonresident	14,634	188	159	10	39	51	85	119	651	15,285	10.5%	1,452.00		
Undergraduate Nonresident - Business	14.634	420	159	10	39	51	85	119	883	15,517	10.4%	1.462.00		
Undergraduate Nonresident - Engineering	14,634	480	159	10	39	51	85	119	972	15,606	11.0%	1,551.00		
Undergraduate Nonresident - Medical	14.634	188	159	10	39	51	85	119	680	15.314	10.7%	1,481.00		
Graduate Resident	5,038	188	159	10	39	51	85	119	651	5.689	16.4%	802.00		
Graduate Resident - Engineering	5,038	480	159	10	39	51	85	119	943	5,981	17.1%	872.00		
Graduate Resident - Physical Therapy (enrolled fall 2001)	6,638	188	159	10	39	51	85	119	651	7,289	12.4%	802.00		
Graduate Resident - Physical Therapy (enrolled fall 2002 & 2003)	7,988	188	159	10	39	51	85	119	651	8,639	10.2%	802.00		
Graduate Nonresident	15,072	188	159	10	39	51	85	119	651	15,723	10.2%	1,452.00		
Graduate Nonresident - Engineering	15,072	480	159	10	39	51	85	119	943	16,015	10.5%	1,522.00		
Graduate Nonresident - Physical Therapy (enrolled fall 2001)	16,632	188	159	10	39	51	85	119	651	17,283	9.2%	1,452.00		
Graduate Nonresident - Physical Therapy (enrolled fall 2002 & 2003)	17,982	188	159	10	39	51	85	119	651	18,633	8.5%	1,452.00		
Master of Accountancy Resident (enrolled fall 2002)	7,366	188	159	10	39	51	85	119	651	8.017	11.1%	802.00		
Master of Accountancy Resident (enrolled fall 2003)	8,431	188	159	10	39	51	85	119	651	9,082	25.9%	1,867.00		
Master of Info System Resident	7,366	188	159	10	39	51	85	119	651	8.017	11.1%	802.00		
Master of Health Administration Resident (enrolled fall 2002)	6,038	188	159	10	39	51	85	119	651	6.689	13.6%	802.00		
Master of Health Administration Resident (enrolled fall 2003)	7,038	188	159	10	39	51	85	119	651	7.689	30.6%	1.802.00		
Master of Nursing and Healthcare Practice Resident	7,738	188	159	10	39	51	85	119	651	8.389	34.5%	2.152.00		
Master of Science - Nursing (NEW Clinical Leadership) Resident	7,738	188	159	10	39	51	85	119	651	8,389	71.7%	3,502.00		
Master of Public Health Resident	6,038	188	159	10	39	51	85	119	651	6,689	13.6%	802.00		
MBA Resident (enrolled fall 2001)	8,986	188	159	10	39	51	85	119	651	9,637	9.1%	802.00		
MBA Resident (enrolled fall 2002 & 2003)	10,050	188	159	10	39	51	85	119	651	10,701	8.0%	796.00		
Master of Accountancy Nonresident (enrolled fall 2002)	17,368	188	159	10	39	51	85	119	651	18,019	8.8%	1,452.00		
Master of Accountancy Nonresident (enrolled fall 2003)	18,433	188	159	10	39	51	85	119	651	19,084	15.2%	2,517.00		
Master of Info System Nonresident	17,368	188	159	10	39	51	85	119	651	18,019	8.8%	1,452.00		
Master of Health Administration Nonresident (enrolled fall 2002)	16,072	188	159	10	39	51	85	119	651	16,723	9.5%	1,452.00		
Master of Health Administration Nonresident (enrolled fall 2003)	17.072	188	159	10	39	51	85	119	651	17,723	16.1%	2.452.00		
Master of Nursing and Healthcare Practice Nonresident	17,772	188	159	10	39	51	85	119	651	18,423	17.9%	2,802.00		
Master of Science - Nursing (NEW Clinical Leadership) Nonresident	17,772	188	159	10	39	51	85	119	651	18,423	29.1%	4,152.00		
Master of Public Health Nonresident	16,072	188	159	10	39	51	85	119	651	16,723	9.5%	1,452.00		
MBA Nonresident (enrolled fall 2001)	17,298	188	159	10	39	51	85	119	651	17,949	4.7%	802.00		
MBA Nonresident (enrolled fall 2002 & 2003)	18,362	188	159	10	39	51	85	119	651	19,013	4.4%	802.00		
Dentistry Resident (enrolled fall 2002 & 2001)	12,934	188	159	10	39	51	85	119	651	13,585	6.3%	802.00		
Dentistry Resident (enrolled fall 2002 & 2001) Dentistry Resident (enrolled fall 2002 & 2003)	15,934	188	159	10	39	51	85	119	651	16,585	5.1%	802.00		
Dentistry Resident (enrolled fall 2002 & 2003) Dentistry Nonresident (enrolled fall 2000 & 2001)	27,900	188	159	10	39	51	85	119	651	28,551	2.9%	802.00		
Dentistry Nonresident (enrolled fall 2000 & 2001) Dentistry Nonresident (enrolled fall 2002 & 2003)	30,899	188	159	10	39	51	85	119	651	31,550	2.9%	802.00		
Law Resident	10,810	330	159	10	39	51	85	119	793	11,603	10.4%	1,094.00		
Law Nonresident	24,568	330	159	10	39	51	85	119	793	25,361	4.5%	1,094.00		
		188						119	651					
Medicine Resident (enrolled prior to fall 2001)	13,690 17.838	188 188	159 159	10 10	39 39	51 51	85 85	119	651 651	14,341 18.489	5.9% 4.5%	802.00 802.00		
Medicine Resident (enrolled fall 2001- 2003) Medicine Nonresident (enrolled prior to fall 2001)	32,158	188	159	10	39	51	85 85	119	651	32,809	4.5% 2.5%	802.00		
		188	159	10		51		119	651	32,809	2.5%	802.00		
Medicine Nonresident (enrolled fall 2001- 2003)	36,306			_	39		85							
Pharm. D. Resident (enrolled prior to fall 2001)	7,724	188	159	10	39	51	85	119	651	8,375	10.6%	802.00		
Pharm. D. Resident (enrolled fall 2001 - 2003)	11,278	188	159	10	39	51	85	119	651	11,929	7.2%	802.00		
Pharm. D. Nonresident (enrolled prior to fall 2001)	21,968	188	159	10	39	51	85	119	651	22,619	3.7%	802.00		
Pharm. D. Nonresident (enrolled fall 2001 - 2003)	25,432	188	159	10	39	51	85	119	651	26,083	3.2%	802.00		

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	TUITION	MANDATORY FEES								TOTALS			
	Base	_		Health	Student	Student	Student		Total	Tuition &	in Tuition &	Total Dollar Increase In	
	Tuition & Surcharge	Computer Fee	Health Fee	Facility Fee	Activities Fee	Services Fee	Union Fee	Building Fee	Mandatory Fees	Mandatory Fees	Mandatory Fees	Tuition & Fees	
IOWA STATE UNIVERSITY													
Undergraduate Resident	4,342	188	\$ 160	\$ 16	\$ 57	\$ 159	-	106	\$ 686	\$ 5,028	22.3%	\$ 918.00	
Undergraduate Resident - Engineering	4,342	404	160	16	57	159	-	106	902	5,244	21.5%	928.00	
Undergraduate Resident - Comp Sci & MIS	4,342	322	160	16	57	159	-	106	820	5,162	21.8%	924.00	
Undergraduate Nonresident	13,684	188	160	16	57	159	-	106	686	14,370	12.2%	1,568.00	
Undergraduate Nonresident - Engineering	13,684	404	160	16	57	159	-	106	902	14,586	12.1%	1,578.00	
Undergraduate Nonresident - Comp Sci & MIS	13,684	322	160	16	57	159	-	106	820	14,504	12.2%	1,574.00	
Graduate Resident	5,038	150	160	16	57	159	-	106	648	5,686	19.2%	916.00	
Graduate Resident - Engineering	5,038	404	160	16	57	159	-	106	902	5,940	18.5%	928.00	
Graduate Resident - Comp Sci & MIS	5,038	322	160	16	57	159	-	106	820	5,858	18.7%	924.00	
Graduate Nonresident	14,214	150	160	16	57	159	-	106	648	14,862	11.8%	1,566.00	
Graduate Nonresident - Engineering	14,214	404	160	16	57	159	-	106	902	15,116	11.7%	1,578.00	
Graduate Nonresident - Comp Sci & MIS	14,214	322	160	16	57	159	-	106	820	15,034	11.7%	1,574.00	
Veterinary Medicine Resident (enrolled prior to fall 2002)	9,076	188	160	16	57	159	-	106	686	9,762	10.4%	918.00	
Veterinary Medicine Resident (enrolled 2002 & 2003)	9,850	188	160	16	57	159	-	106	686	10,536	9.5%	918.00	
Veterinary Medicine Nonresident (enrolled prior to 2002)	24,262	188	160	16	57	159	-	106	686	24,948	6.7%	1,568.00	
Veterinary Medicine Nonresident (enrolled 2002 & 2003)	26,362	188	160	16	57	159	-	106	686	27,048	6.2%	1,568.00	
UNIVERSITY OF NORTHERN IOWA													
Undergraduate Resident	4,342	150	\$ 116	26	-	\$ 102	-	180	\$ 574	\$ 4,916	19.4%	\$ 798.50	
Undergraduate Nonresident	11,300	150	116	26	-	102	-	180	574	11,874	13.9%	1,448.50	
Graduate Resident	5,038	150	116	26	-	102	-	180	574	5,612	16.6%	798.50	
Graduate Nonresident	12,112	150	116	26	-	102	-	180	574	12,686	12.9%	1,448.50	

Enrolled period indicates initial year of enrollment